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**TEN MEN SHOT**  
BY THE REBELS.  
Eight Soldiers Wounded Near Angeles.  
Artillery Used on the Enemy and They Respond.  
Small Party of Americans Has a Fatal Encounter.  
Gen. Schwan Clears the Country in Front of Him.  
Hidden Insurgents Pour Several Volleys from Their Trenches on the Road to Malabon—Twenty-five Natives Taken.  
[ON THE FIRING LINE.]  
Gen. Otis Reports Schwan's Movements—Opposed Family Reunions.  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—A cablegram from Gen. Otis to the War Department, received late this afternoon, confirms the press dispatches regarding Gen. Schwan's movement on San Francisco de Malabon. Gen. Otis says: "Schwan succeeded yesterday in driving insurgents south, with loss, from San Francisco de Malabon. He reports their forces disintegrated and retreating on divergent roads, which are impassable for artillery or wagons. No intention of occupying this country permanently or temporarily; transport will return by way of Rosario, and column will move in direction of Dasmariñas, probably retreating on Imus. County of no strategic importance."  
Gen. Otis disapproves of officers' families joining them at Manila. Regarding this question he today cabled the department as follows: "Population Manila much congested. Provision for officers' families cannot be made. Those already here, together with families enlisted men, have caused much perplexity. Would not permit my own family to come under existing circumstances. Nearly all officers and men here absent from Manila on duty. Families should await more peaceful conditions."  
Another message announced the arrival at Manila of the transport Victoria with 403 horses. Ten died en route, and several found to be afflicted with glanders were shot. The Garonne sailed from Manila on the 7th inst., and the Athenian on the 9th, both for Seattle.  
**TROOPS TO GO.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The War Department has issued orders to the Forty-fifth Regiment at Fort Snelling, Minn., to start for San Francisco, Oct. 22, to embark there for the Philippines. The two companies of the Forty-fifth, now at Vancouver Barracks, will sail with the Thirty-ninth Regiment direct from Portland, Or.

**TWO EXPEDITIONS.**  
Gen. Schwan Returning to Manila. Salvage of the Arayat.  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
MANILA, Oct. 11, 5:55 p.m.—[By Manila Cable.] Gen. Schwan's column, having accomplished its purpose of punishing the rebels in returning from San Francisco de Malabon with artillery and the transportation service. The naval expedition that recently went to the mouth of the River Pasig to raise the Spanish river gunboat Arayat, reports that no resistance has been encountered from the Filipinos, and that the bulk of salvage is progressing slowly.  
**DRIVEN BACK FIGHTING.**  
SAN FRANCISCO DE MALABON, Oct. 11.—[By Manila Cable.] Gen. Schwan's column occupied this town without resistance. Later, reconnoitering in force southward, Schwan came upon trenches where were hidden insurgents. The rebels resisted stubbornly, but were driven two miles, fighting all the way. Many Filipino dead were strewn along the fields. The American loss was one officer and seven men wounded.  
**LOST TWO COMMANDERS.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
MANILA, Oct. 11, 5:55 p.m.—The Thirtieth Infantry lost two officers, Capt. Marion B. Safford and Capt. Woodbridge Geary, both battalion commanders.  
**CAPT. GEARY DEAD.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Gen. Otis has cabled the War Department that Capt. Woodbridge Geary, Thirtieth Infantry, died at 3 o'clock this morning at San Francisco de Malabon from wounds received in a reconnoissance toward Buena Vista yesterday.

**THE WASHINGTONIANS.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The Washington soldiers, who arrived on the Pennsylvania, are being entertained today by the delegation of Washington citizens, who came here to welcome their boys home. The regiment has been split up into detachments, and the different parties of the Washingtonians are taking the boys to points of interest around the city, lunching them and doing other things to make the day a pleasant one.  
Gov. Rogers of Washington and his staff will be of the party to welcome the Kansas soldiers when they land from the Tarar. Arrangements have been made for the Washington regiment to entertain the Kansas regiment at a dinner, either tonight or tomorrow, the time depending on the landing of the Kansas.  
**FUNSTON'S VIEWS.**  
[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Gen. Funston of Kansas, when asked what he thought of the Filipinos, said: "They have some pretty good fighters, but the majority of them are rather poor." He added that while some of the Filipinos were intelligent, he did not think they were capable of self-government. He declared that he was not a candidate for the Vice-Presidency, and said that he expected to be mustered out very soon.

**FITTING THE CRUISERS.**  
[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]  
NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Orders have been received at the navy yard to rush work on the cruiser New Orleans, which is to be sent to the Philippines in accordance with the recommendation of Admiral Dewey. The orders were to turn her out ready for the long voyage in a week. The cruiser arrived at the navy yard Tuesday afternoon. She was expected Monday, but Capt. Lockwood, who commands her, was short of coal, and did not push her from Hampton Roads. The delay caused rumors of trouble with her boilers, but Naval Constructor Bowles, who examined the ship yesterday, found her in good condition. She will go into dry dock this morning, and be ready for sea a week hence. The cruiser Brooklyn will not be fitted for the voyage to Manila at the Brooklyn navy yard, such work as is necessary will be done at Norfolk.  
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**VETERANS VIE**  
TO DO HONOR.  
Blue and Gray Receive the President.  
National Reunion Attracts People to Evansville, Ind.  
Characteristic Speech Made by the Nation's Ruler.  
Union Now Rests in the Hearts of All Americans.  
Presidential Party Leaves for the North—Greeted by a Large Crowd at Vincennes—Prosperity With Patriotism.  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
EVANSVILLE (Ind.), Oct. 11.—President McKinley and his Cabinet came from Chicago this morning to attend the national reunion of the Blue and Gray. A heavy rain was falling, but despite this, 10,000 veterans and visitors thronged about the railroad station and the veterans in blue in tendering an ovation when the Presidential party arrived.  
The party was at once escorted to the fair grounds, where Mayor William M. Aklin presided and C. A. de Bruier of Evansville welcomed the distinguished guests and veterans to the city. Gov. J. A. Mount followed with an address of welcome on behalf of the State, and introduced President McKinley. The President said: "My fellow-citizens: It gives me very great pleasure to participate with you, men of the North and men of the South, in this glad reunion of hearts. We are already unified; the peace which Grant and Lee made at Appomattox has been kept by law and restraint, and, we believe, fraternal regard. The Union today rests not on force which may follow it, but rests in the hearts of the people; that union can never be severed.  
"If I have been permitted in the slightest degree to help in the work of reconciliation and unification, I will esteem it the greatest honor of my life. When I made the call for troops to prosecute the Spanish war, men of the North and South, without regard to political belief or religious creed rallied to the standard of the Union. The best men of the South came; the sons of old Confederate soldiers. The best men of the North came; the sons of the old members of the Grand Army."

**Points of the News in Today's Times.**  
[INDEX TO THE NEWS BUDGET.]—Volume: Fresh A. P. Night Report and exclusive Times specials received by wire since dark last night, about 10 columns. Financial and Commercial, about 3 columns Day Report (not so fresh) about 10 columns. Aggregate, 23 columns. The Index (for both telegraphic and local news) refers to general classification, subject and page.  
**The City—Pages 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14.**  
Meeting of Woman's Foreign Missionary Society...City's health endangered by inefficient sewer flush tanks...General fall of rain...Court holds that Neuman had a fair chance. Janitor Sparks's disposition of great registers expensive...Constitutionality of Wright Act argued in Supreme Court...Suit over Robinson's estate. Rucklin Art Club studies sculpture. Bad land security and a judgment for Miss Burkhardt...Fire Commission business...Sure-enough burglar slipped through the hands of the police. Suits piling up against municipal waterworks' ownership...Wholesalers organize for mutual benefit...Coursing to be revived, but not at Agricultural Park...Fire and firewater under a gardener...A youthful traveler here. Training of children discussed by Woman's Parliament...Mining Institute visitors welcomed...Temple reports that he had his pockets picked...Death of A. B. Rich...Homeopath's meeting.  
**Pacific Coast—Page 2.**  
Southern Pacific increases the minimum for carload lots...Gallant Kansas boys receive a rousing San Francisco welcome—Interview with Gen. Funston...Washington soldiers entertained...Lathrop farmer killed by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. John B. Rich dies suddenly at Phoenix. Rain falls throughout the north—Snow at Reno...Binson Bidwell will sue several companies because of alleged patent infringement...No anti-consumptive quarantine...High Court of Foresters in session at Tacoma.  
**Financial and Commercial—Page 12.**  
San Francisco produce...New York shares and money...General eastern grain and provisions...California fruit sales in eastern markets...Movements of shipping...San Francisco mining stocks...Treasury statement...Chicago live stock market...Liverpool grain...London silver...Treasury Department's advance payment...London financial market...Oil transactions.

**Southern California—Page 13.**  
Pasadena doctors reviving sewer agitation...San Diego Chamber of Commerce opposed to Jamaica treaty. El Cajon murderer crosses the Mexican line...Road from Santa Monica to Sawtelle...Steamer and schooner in collision off Redondo...Big orange crop at Covina...Peatlands corn crop damaged by wind...Fire destroys two buildings at Perris. Cruelty to animals charged at Santa Barbara...Old resident of Santa Paula has a bullet in his brain...Dissatisfaction in Orange county regarding the new courthouse plans recently adopted...Unknown dead man at Yorba...Train derailed near Anaheim.  
**General Eastern—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.**  
President McKinley and the Cabinet attend the reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Evansville, Ind...Bad outlook for yacht race—Columbia's crew beat their wages on her...New York to have a hotel for women...Serious corn famine in Chicago...Hard fighting expected in the general advance in Luzon...Mass meeting to welcome Senator Hoar home...Races on eastern tracks...Eastern baseball results. Paper on immigration read before the Southern Industrial Convention...Reinforcements sent by the Mexican government against the Yaqui Indians...Mass meeting at New York denounces Great Britain...Dave Hill turned down by Croker.  
**By Cable—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4.**  
Gen. Schwan's column occupies Malabon...Orange Free State troops advance on Ladysmith—Lord Rosebery declares his position—Cape Colony considered safe—Great Britain unprepared for war...Revolution in Venezuela growing—President Andrade preparing to flee—Rebels moving on Caracas. Spaniard stabs an American in Cuba. Canadian Minister to confer with the English Colonial Secretary on the Alaskan question...Portugal concludes a secret treaty with Great Britain.

**BALL OPENED**  
AT CUNDY CLOUGH.  
Boers Already Across the Frontier.  
Free State Troops Advancing on Ladysmith.  
Great Britain Said to Be Unprepared.  
Krugers Ultimatum Unites All English Parties.  
All Nationalities Will Fight for the Republic—Montague White Leaves London for South African Republic.  
[SOUTH AFRICA.]  
LONDON, Oct. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A Pietermaritzburg dispatch says: "There are persistent reports that the Orange Free State troops have already crossed the frontier and are advancing on Ladysmith. The Boers entered Natal by the important pass of Cundy Clough, thirty-seven miles southwest of Newcastle."  
**WAR REPORTED BEGUN.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
LONDON, Oct. 12.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Ladysmith, dated Wednesday, alone among the special received, declares that war has begun by the Boers in Natal. The correspondent says: "Free State burghers have seized a train at Harrismith, which was the property of the Natal government. Last night a mounted patrol was stoned by Boers. The men's orders were not to fire unless they were fired upon."  
The other dispatches only represent that hostilities are imminent.

**BRITAIN UNPREPARED.**  
Boers May Gain Temporary Advantage in Certain Campaign.  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
LONDON, Oct. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] If the latest reports from South Africa are true, the Boers have not waited for the expiration of the time limit, but have already crossed the border, as they would be entitled to do, both in virtue of the notification contained in the last paragraph of the ultimatum and also of the British acknowledgment, which reached Pretoria so speedily as to justify a belief, amounting almost to certainty, that the war party in Great Britain is in reality delighted that diplomacy has said its last word, and that action can now proceed.  
All indications go to show that Great Britain is so unprepared as to be compelled to remain on the defensive for some weeks. All the aggressiveness must come from the Boers. It seems highly probable that the tongue of Natal, as far as Newcastle, will be in the hands of the Boers before many hours. From that point, however, in the event of a further advance, they would probably find British forces at Ladysmith and Dundee capable of repelling their attacks.  
At Ladysmith the garrison, which has to guard against attack from the Orange Free State, was reinforced today by the Gordon Highlanders, and a strong contingent of the Indian troops, and the authorities are now confident of their ability to deal out an unpleasant surprise to the Boers in the event of an attempt to rush the position.  
At Dundee there are about 6000 men. This force ought to be sufficient to



stem a Boer advance by way of Zululand, and to maintain the line of communication with the base at Pietermaritzburg, the headquarters of Gen. Sir George Stewart White.

On the Bechuanaland border, the situation seems to give the Boers a temporary advantage. There is considerable anxiety in the districts of Vryburg and Mafeking, although it is hoped that the reinforcements recently dispatched there will be sufficient to protect the rich town of Kimberley. Dispatches from Cape Town say that the Cabinet will resign, while there are persistent reports in London that Sir Alfred Milner, Governor of Cape Colony, has already dismissed William P. Schreiner and his colleagues. It is evident that one or the other of these contingencies must occur, as the Governor and commander-in-chief must be in a position to carry out defensive measures without regard to any possible obstruction on the part of an unsympathetic Chamberlain. So far as a declaration of war is concerned, the feeling in London is that the Transvaal government will merely invite the British diplomatic agent, Conyngham Greene, to leave Pretoria on the expiration of the ultimatum of the ultimatum. Certainly, Great Britain will not declare war against what she considers a dependent state. Active hostilities are expected to take the place of a formal declaration.

There was great scene on the floor of the Stock Exchange at 3:30 p.m. the time of the expiration of the period fixed in the Boer ultimatum. The brokers began singing "God Save the Queen" and "Rule Britannia." A large crowd outside took up the strains and singing and cheering spread in the neighborhood until the whole district was alive with enthusiasm.

**KRUGER'S DEMANDS.**  
Ultimatum Only Tends to Unite the British Nation.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]  
NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says that President Kruger, finding it impossible to hold back his peasant warriors, has determined to bring on a war without delay. Failing to draw Mr. Chamberlain into a premature disclosure of his fresh demands, which could be denounced as contrary to the convention of 1884, he has ordered his Secretary of State to send an ultimatum for the immediate withdrawal of British troops and the suspension of military preparations. The dispatch closes with a clumsy attempt to console a reluctant public with the demand for a formal declaration of war by the British government.

The news is received at London with cynical amusement by the imperial officers, who perceive that Kruger has delivered himself into their hands, since the responsibility for war must rest with the government which sends out so peremptory a summons to evacuate South Africa and then sets its own soldiers in motion.

This dispatch is well calculated by its contemptuous terms and its lack of reason, to unite the British nation. There can be no more peace talk in any quarter and the Liberals will join forces with the Conservatives in supporting active war measures.

A great stir of military preparation has already begun. An enormous fleet of transports is being ordered to sea, and the departure of Sir Redvers Buller with an army corps will be hastened. The frontiers among military officers is that Sir Redvers' advance will be through the capital of the Orange Free State, that the Boer army will be ultimately drawn into that quarter, and that the national forces will cut off its retreat. The ultimate plan of campaign is now less important than the earlier steps of hostilities. Kruger, however, with his perverse talent for inertia, seems to have waited too long before striking the first blow.

**LORD ROSEBURY'S POSITION.**  
The Boer's Ultimatum is a Declaration of War.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
LONDON, Oct. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Lord Rosebury, the former Premier and Liberal leader, has finally declared his position relative to the Boer ultimatum in a letter under today's date, he says:

"I have maintained silence because I am loath to reënter politics. Today, however, for a situation has been created which is beyond party politics. I think there is much in the last three years of our relations with the government of the Transvaal to criticize, if not condemn, but that is all over for the present.

"It is needless to discuss how we could best have attained our simple and reasonable object, and how our fellow-countrymen in the Transvaal from intolerable conditions of subjection and injustice and of securing equal rights for the white races in South Africa; for an ultimatum has been addressed to Great Britain by the South African republic which is itself a declaration of war.

"In the face of this attack upon the nation the people will undoubtedly clear their ranks, and relegate party controversies to a more convenient season.

"There is one more word to be said. Without attempting to judge the policy which concludes the Boer ultimatum, I am bound to state my profound conviction that there is no country in the world in which the country which could repeat it."

**CAPE COLONY SAFE.**  
No Fear of a Successful Boer Attack—Assaults Denied.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
CAPE TOWN, Oct. 11.—[By South African Cable.] There is little fear with regard to the possibility of a successful Boer attack upon Cape Colony. It is believed that the garrison is well able to hold its own.

The fact is recalled that in 1883, when the British were standing on the defensive, they were almost invariably successful.

In a debate in the Cape House of Assembly last evening, regarding the allegations of maltreatment of the refugees from the Transvaal, the Premier, Mr. Schreiner, implored the House not to believe the newspapers.

"So far as I know," he said, "there is no truth in the statement that Orange Free State Railway officials have committed brutal assaults on British passengers, and officials deny these statements."

On the other hand, the reports of outrage and insult are plentifully corroborated.

**BIG GUN POSTED.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

PRETORIA, Oct. 11.—The German detachment has posted a big gun on the Free State-Natal border, in a position to aid Wakkereboom. Five hundred burghers assisted in hauling the gun up a steep and almost inaccessible acclivity.

The official Gazette today contains the confiscation law, approved by the Volksraad, September 29, adopting the mining article in the gold law, eliminating

ated last year, empowering the government to confiscate claims and mines belonging to persons convicted of treason or conspiracy against the State.

**STEAMER CHARTERED.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 11.—It is reported from Glasgow that the Allan line steamship Siberian has been chartered to take 1000 men and officers from Montreal to South Africa. In shipping 1000 tons of goods, it will also carry 1000 tons of shipping will be required by the government, and owners are finding it difficult to maintain their regular trade service.

**TROOPS MOBILIZED.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

VOLKSRUST, Oct. 11.—The entire first draft of the Transvaal and Free State Boers is now mobilized. The larger has been shifted to a better position for water and grazing. The generals, commandants and field cornets have inspected the various strategic points on the border. A man, ostensibly a member of the Orange Free State, has been detained here owing to his suspicious actions.

**SCHLEY GOING TO AFRICA.**  
[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: In the event of war, which officials here regard as a possibility, as a result of the Boer ultimatum, orders will be issued to the cruiser Montgomery, which was last reported at Pernambuco, to proceed to Delagoa Bay and co-operate with the Consul at Pretoria in the protection of American interests. Acting Secretary Allen today of his willingness to assume command of the ship, and to proceed to Delagoa Bay, and was informed that the cruiser Chicago was ready for sea October 25. She will proceed immediately to Delagoa Bay, and Commander Merrill, commanding the Montgomery, will make his report to the squadron commander.

**PREDICTS BOER DEFEAT.**  
[EARLY MORNING REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—R. A. Croble of Rondelush, Cape Colony, a member of Parliament for that colony, who left Africa five weeks ago and is on a pleasure tour of the United States, today said that the Transvaal, though it is a thoroughly familiar with the situation there. He was disposed to doubt the Transvaal's chances of success in the war, and he expressed the opinion that war was sure to come, and that the Boers would meet a speedy defeat for the Boers. He said:

"I do not believe the war will be long duration, for the Boers are not equipped with the modern arms of the Transvaal, cannot put into the field more than 25,000 or 30,000 fighting men, and the British have a superior force. The Boers are waiting in organization and will not be able to conduct a sustained campaign against such a foe as England. The problem will be one or two hard fights, but there is no possible chance of their being able to withstand the English long."

**ANADIAN COLONISTS.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 11.—It is reported in Glasgow that the Allen liner Siberian has been chartered to carry a thousand Canadians from Montreal to South Africa.

**ASKING AMERICAN COURTESY.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The Foreign Office confirms the report from Washington that Great Britain has asked the United States to send a representative to represent British interests during the war.

**UNDERSTANDING EXISTS.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—It is practically settled that the United States will look after the interests of Great Britain in the Transvaal in the event of war. Although the United States to a late hour today had made no formal request for such action on the part of the United States, it is believed that a perfect understanding to that effect between the representatives of the two governments.

**PLACED BY MILNER.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CAPE TOWN, Oct. 11.—Sir Alfred Milner, Governor of Cape Colony and British High Commissioner for South Africa, has issued a proclamation declaring all persons abetting the enemy of the state guilty of high treason.

The Boers are expected to occupy Natal, and the Cape Colony is regarded as imminent.

**WHITE CLOSING CONSULATE.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Montague White, Consul-General for the South African republic here, closed his consulate this afternoon and left for the continent.

**WHITE'S ENERGETIC LANGUAGE.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Montague White, Consul-General of the South African republic in London, before shaking off the dust of England, said to a representative of the Associated Press:

"The expected has happened. I only hope the hellishness of this premeditated crushing-out of a hardy republic now appears to be a mere trifling. America that the onus of war lies not upon those who fire the first shot, but upon those who compel it to be fired."

"Technically we have temporarily put ourselves in the attitude of an aggressor, but who would not have done so when he believed the existence of his country was at stake? I think we must look far ahead to see the consequences of this war. Instead of pacification of South Africa, which is the alleged aim of England, we shall have perpetual unrest. Those very people who are now protesting against our determination to force a hostile issue, or rather Mr. Chamberlain's, I am of the opinion that they will be determined to support the war."

"What his intentions were is evident from the situation today. He has the franchise been the chief grievance, our five-year proposition would certainly have been accepted. I have reason to believe that England enters upon a warlike course by no means a unit. Opposition to Mr. Chamberlain's policy exists to a greater extent than is generally conceded."

"Our evident desire to conciliate has been appreciated and our refusal to allow our affairs to be administered by another nation has not excited genuine indignation here, or in any quarter of the globe. However, Mr. Chamberlain has accomplished his purpose, and all the hope is gone. I believe, nevertheless, that a considerable number of those now supporting the government are doing so with a light heart and on general principles, not stopping to count the cost of war."

Mr. White cited the Isandlwana massacre as an instance of such a change in British opinion. He then said:

"I suppose there can be only one ultimate result of the hostilities. As to the duration of the war, I am not able to guess. It seems to me a matter of the greatest uncertainty. I hear that Great Britain will not begin the wip-out process until the end of the year. In the mean time we shall see what we shall see."

He has received no special instructions of news from the general during the last forty-eight hours, and I expect none, having long ago received directions as to the course for me to take when matters of this kind arise. I shall remain on the continent and if anything further can be done in the interest of my government, I shall, of course, endeavor to do it.

It seems nothing left but to fight it out to the bitter, unjust end."

Mr. White seemed much distressed over the future, and the war, and he entertained the least hope of Boer success. He said the Transvaal agency in Brussels would be continued as the European headquarters of the government.

**BURGHES CALLED HOME.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PIETERMARITZBURG, Oct. 11.—The official Gazette contains an information calling upon all the burghers domiciled outside the republic to present themselves forthwith for service, failing which they will be fined, imprisoned and their property confiscated.

**NATAL PATRIOTS MEET.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 11.—A dispatch from Natal, says that at a meeting held there in the evening, a crowd of patriots invaded the hall, stormed the platform and moved and carried a resolution to support the government of the Transvaal. The police were called upon to restore order, and finally cleared the hall.

**BURGHES BEYOND CONTROL.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 12.—A dispatch from Glencoe camp, dated Wednesday noon, says the burghers are determined to be beyond the President's control, and hostilities are expected at any moment.

**FRENCH SYMPATHY.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

Paris Newspapers Denounce England—Union of Powers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]  
PARIS, Oct. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Cabinet met today, President Loubet presiding. The approaching Transvaal war, which is now considered inevitable, was one of the questions discussed. French sympathy is with the Boers, and the newspapers are filled with articles denunciatory of England.

M. Delcasse, Minister of Foreign Affairs, reported the result of an interview with Count Mouravieff, the Russian Foreign Minister, which, he believed, will lead to securing a diplomatic union of the powers, and an early cessation of hostilities. The ability of Rt. Hon. Sir E. J. Monson, British Ambassador to St. Petersburg, in soothing French susceptibilities, is much commented on and admired.

**NEW YORK MASS MEETING.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

Bourke Cockran Denounces England—A Union Jack Torn.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—A great mass meeting was held in Carnegie Hall tonight to express sympathy with the Boers. The platform was crowded with men of all shades of political faith. Many women were present.

Austus Van Wyck, who was the Democratic candidate for Governor in opposition to Roosevelt, presided. Among those present were Gen. James B. O'Brien, the President of the United States, and a number of prominent representatives of the Boers in this country. The long list of vice-presidents included Gov. Pingree of Michigan, Senator McKim of Illinois, Senator Platt of New York and Senator Teller of Colorado.

Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Wyck made a speech, in which he characterized the pending struggle as one of the strong against the weak.

Bourke Cockran spoke for more than an hour, and while the applause was cyclonic at times, there were a good many interruptions on the part of English sympathizers who were seated in the rear of the hall and in the galleries.

Mr. Cockran spoke of England's right in the making of treaties with the Boers, and added: "The United States has as much right to intervene to prevent aggression against the peace as England has the right to greed and spoliation of territory." Continuing, he said:

"President Kruger was within his rights, and I believe stepped outside his duty when he consented to discuss the question of citizenship with any person who should utter a word of threat. The ostensible reasons assigned for Mr. Chamberlain's policy are so inadequate that we are compelled to look for real reasons elsewhere. Why is it that the peace of the world is endangered on such a flimsy pretense?"

The answer is on the tongue of every Englishman, but it suggests such recklessness, such needless moral depravity that I could not attempt to formulate it. Let an Englishman answer it, and it proclaims the infamy of their government."

In all the history of the human race," shouted Mr. Cockran, "I defy any man to find an instance where war has been based upon reasons as atrocious as this."

Mr. Cockran eulogized President Kruger, who was cheered.

"It has been said," he continued, "that while the United States sympathizes with the Transvaal, yet he loves England too well to remonstrate. For this reason, he is ready to connive at oppression. But this is not so."

He declared his belief that if England goes to war with the Transvaal, the United States will forcibly advance her claims regarding the Alaskan boundary. These resolutions were adopted.

Resolved, that this meeting has considered the difficulty which has arisen between Great Britain and the South African republic, and having examined the relation of these two States, as defined by the conventions of 1881, and 1884, is of the opinion that Great Britain does not possess any right of intervention in the internal affairs of the South African republic, either by treaty or by international law.

Resolved, that this meeting is also of the opinion that the South African republic, although not bound to com-

ply with any of the demands of Great Britain, has shown a proper and commendable willingness to consider the alleged grievance and to grant reasonable privileges, and that, therefore, it is the duty of Great Britain not to force a conflict in South Africa, but to accept the offered reforms, or to transmit the whole matter to a court of arbitration.

"Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the government of the United States, to the government of Great Britain, and to the government of the South African republic."

It had been rumored around the hall that the meeting would break up in a mass of people burning a Union Jack. At the end of the meeting a man in a red coat seized a Union Jack and tore it to pieces. Then he turned to run, and was thrown out of the hall by the police.

**BURSTS OF ORATORY.**  
Big Guns on the Windward Side of the Question.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
LONDON, Oct. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A flood of oratory on the Transvaal situation burst out tonight. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury; Henry Herbert Asquith, former Home Secretary, and others, spoke in various parts of the country. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and the University of London, addressed an address on the subject, is suffering from an attack of bronchitis and was unable to speak. Mr. Balfour, addressed the Unionists of Haddington, said in part:

"The crisis in South Africa has now reached the stage where diplomacy is put aside and the sword is drawn. A great change has taken place in the last three months in the opinion of the Unionists of Haddington, said in part:

"There was not then the clear conviction which now exists respecting the true merits of the case, which is now to be decided by the arbitrament of force, but the more the public has known of what the government has done and what it aims at, the more they have come to the view that the government, if it erred at all, erred on the side of peace and that who supported us can look back to the long anxious months with the conscientious conviction that we earnestly desired peace, though we were in a minority, and that though at the moment I am speaking war may actually have begun, that war is none of our making, none of our doing, but is forced upon us by those who are not men fighting for the freedom of their country, but an oligarchy, who fear the power of their domination is at an end."

Mr. Asquith, speaking at Dundee, credited the government with a sincere desire for peace, but said it seemed incredible, he said, that other should strike the first blow in a conflict which could have but one issue, and that that issue was the freedom of the Boers as such as no civilized country could permit, and the issue raised by the Transvaal's ill-starred rebellion, which, he said, was bound to take up.

**GOING TO THE BORDER.**  
All Nationalities to Fight for the Transvaal—News Meager.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
LONDON, Oct. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Up to the present hour no dispatches have arrived from the Cape, since the expiration of the ultimatum, so it is not yet known whether the first shot has been fired.

A telegram from Pretoria, dated 7:30 o'clock yesterday evening, says: "The situation is becoming more and more serious. Numerous Americans, Germans, Frenchmen, Swedes, Belgians, Norwegians, Danes, Italians, Dutchmen, and others, have been coming to the border to fight for the Transvaal, although they are not burghers, while many British residents also have taken up arms in allegiance. The hope is expressed by many that war will not be averted."

Nothing since has been received from Pretoria, and doubtless telegraphic communication with the Transvaal is now cut. The absence of news from the Transvaal since the ultimatum is not due to any interruption of the cable, but to the immense pressure of the war, the cables probably being nearly all occupied by the government dispatches which take precedence of all others. Only two cables run to Cape Town from Europe and the one on the South African cable, which means that practically all the work is thrown on one Atlantic cable, which means that the present exasperating delay will result in the government's dispatches will probably be very meager. Further particulars regarding the correspondence of the war will be given in the next dispatch.

Steyn of the Orange Free State and Sir Alfred Milner, Governor of Cape Colony and British High Commissioner in South Africa, both of whom were present, showed that Sir Alfred on October 7 stated that the Imperial government was reconsidering the situation in view of the progress of the war, and was even then prepared to consider a definite suggestion of the termination of the crisis. In another dispatch he says:

"My object, in all communications since October 2, has been to leave nothing untried to prevent the advance of the part of the Transvaal, as is calculated to make a pacific solution possible. I have, however, never asked the Imperial government to pledge itself regarding the disposition of troops in British territory in South Africa, and I have not dispatched from other parts of the empire."

President Steyn replied:

"The reasons for arming the Transvaal were the presence of the hostile population in its midst which was always stirring up hatred and endeavoring, for political or financial reasons, to undermine the independence of the State. The Boers have never taken the offensive, not even after the Jameson raid when the Transvaal was strongly threatened and there were few British troops there."

"Regarding the Free State army, it will be remembered that the Free State always lived at peace and in harmony with its neighbors and has everything to lose and nothing to gain by a rupture. The burghers will certainly not be called to unless the government is thoroughly convinced that the British troops on the borders of both States are a menace to the independence of the State, which the Free State is bound to assist."

**GREENE KILLED.**  
Unconfirmed Report of the British Agent's Assassination.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
LONDON, Oct. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] It is rumored that Conyngham Greene, the British diplomatic agent at Pretoria, has been assassinated there. The report, however, is unconfirmed, and is discredited at the Colonial Office.

**CONSIDERED IMPOSSIBLE.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The rumor that Mr. Greene has been murdered is of doubtful origin, and is considered impossible, as it is believed in obedience to orders from the Imperial government, Mr. Greene had already left Pretoria for a conference with the British interest to United States Consul Crum.

**COAST RECORD.**  
**THOSE CARLOADS**  
COLLIER'S SOUTHERN PACIFIC IS SWEETNESS PERSONIFIED.

One of the Freight Officials Says the Minimum Has Been "Reduced" at Request of the California Orange-growers.

"Reduction," However, Follows an Alleged Secret Advance of the Minimum from 24,000 to 28,000 Pounds.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Southern Pacific Company is going to give the citrus-fruit growers of Southern California a taste of the medicine that it gave the green-fruit growers of Northern and Central California last summer. It has decided to advance the minimum rate on carload shipments of oranges and orange growers, in consequence, are indignant beyond expression.

For some years past the carload minimum on orange shipments has been 24,000 pounds. According to a circular issued from the general freight office of the company today, the minimum will be advanced to 26,000 on November 15. This means that orange shippers will have to crowd an additional ton of fruit into the car, or at least pay freight charges on thirteen tons of fruit for every car dispatched to eastern markets, whether it contains that amount of freight or not.

The advance in the carload minimum for deciduous fruit last spring caused the green-fruit growers of the State to rise up in a body and vigorously denounce the railroad company. The orange growers are not less indignant at this latest action of the company, but they have no alternative but to submit to the company's extortion.

The freight officials of the Southern Pacific would make it appear that the establishment of a new minimum is a generous concession to the growers. When asked today if there was any truth in the statement that the carload minimum was to be advanced, one of the officials of the company declared with an evident display of surprise: "Not at all; in deference to the wishes of the orange growers of Southern California, we have decided to reduce the minimum from 28,000 to 26,000 pounds."

When asked when the 26,000-pound minimum was established, he replied: "Oh, I cannot remember. It has been in effect for some time. The carload minimum is not as ingenious as the officials believe them to be. The truth of the matter is, that some days ago the carload minimum was quietly advanced to 26,000. The action was not made public, and the orange growers only became acquainted with the fact by accident. The evident intention of the company was to keep the matter secret until the oranges began to move east, when the growers and shippers would be too busily engaged in the marketing of their fruit to make any organized protest. When the secret leaked out a day or two ago, a howl went up from the growers, and it has caused the company to reduce the minimum to 28,000 pounds. Now, the company is trying to make it appear that it has reduced, rather than raised, the minimum.

The logic of it will appeal strongly to orange growers, whose pockets are affected by the innovation. The advance in the carload minimum, practically amounts to an advance in rates, and will effect a great saving to the rail lines and greater earnings. No one knows better than the growers how difficult it is to make carload shipments with a minimum of 24,000 pounds at certain stages of the season. In many cases the cars will have to be shipped with less than the minimum of weight of fruit, and in all such cases the shipper will be bled for freight charges on the fruit he has not shipped.

**SLOPE IS SLOPPY.**  
Pacific Coast Bled with Refreshing Downpour of Rain.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
FRESNO, Oct. 11.—Up to 5 o'clock this evening 10 of an inch of rain fell. After 5 o'clock there were several brisk showers. The rain did little damage as the vineyardists were expecting it and had covered their raisin trays.

**STEADY AT SAN DIEGO.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 11.—The light showers which fell this afternoon turned into steady rain about 6 o'clock, which continued for several hours. Indications are for more rain. Reports from the interior say that the rain there was light and less than on the coast.

**DOES PLEASANTON DAMAGE.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

PLEASANTON, Oct. 11.—The first rain of the season began falling here shortly after midnight, and still continues up to 10 o'clock. Prospects in main town. Thousands of tons of hay are still in the fields and grapes are not all picked. The rain now will do this township thousands of dollars' damage.

**HAILESTORM AT AUBURN.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

AUBURN, Oct. 11.—Auburn was visited by a hailstorm today. The mercury remains low, and snow is reported only a few miles away.

**NO DAMAGE TO FRUIT.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

VISALLA, Oct. 11.—Rain has been falling nearly all day. All prunes have been harvested save about thirty thousand trays. These were stacked last night. No damage reported to any fruit except raisin grapes, and to only a few of these grown in the northern part of the county.

**SNOW NEAR PLACERVILLE.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

PLACERVILLE, Oct. 11.—First rain of the season commenced falling here at 1:30 o'clock this morning. Thirty-hundredths of an inch fell today, and the storm still continues. Five inches of snow have fallen a few miles east of this city.

**MUCH GRAIN DAMAGED.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN MIGUEL, Oct. 11.—Much grain will be damaged by the early rainfall.

as large quantities of wheat have not been thrashed.

**HALF-INCH FOR MONTEREY.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

MONTEREY, Oct. 11.—The first rain of the season has been falling here today, and already half an inch has been registered. The rain will do some harm to grapes and hay, but otherwise a much-needed good result, especially if the forest fires which have been raging in this vicinity are quenched, which seems probable.

**STOCKTON'S WETTING.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

STOCKTON, Oct. 11.—Stockton was visited by the first rain of the season shortly after noon today, in the shape of a thunderstorm. The fall, as measured by the gauge, did not amount to much, but it was a welcome change. A good wetting. Table grapes are damaged somewhat by the cracking of the skins.

**SNOWSTORM AT RENO.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

RENO, Nev., Oct. 11.—Western Nevada got its first snowstorm of the season last night, and this morning there are three or four inches of snow on the ground, and present conditions indicate a continuation of the storm.

**PERFECT DOWNPOUR.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SALINAS, Oct. 11.—Rain began falling here early this morning, and for about twenty minutes, in the neighborhood of 8 o'clock, there was a perfect downpour. It is feared that much unthrashed grain will suffer. Conditions are favorable for the efficient superintendence of the crop.

**FEARS FOR GRAPE CROP.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SANTA CRUZ, Oct. 11.—Heavy rain is falling this evening. The weather is cold, and it is feared the grape crop will be damaged.

**BINSON BIDWELL'S CLAIMS.**  
Alleged Inventor of Electric Street-Car System Suing Companies.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The Call says that a bill of complaint will soon be filed in the United States Circuit Court here as the commencement of one of the most important suits ever tried in any court. Binson Bidwell, who claims to be the original inventor of the system by which all the electric roads of the country are operated, is the principal complainant. The Market Street Railroad Company of this city, the Thompson-Houston Electric Company of Connecticut and the General Electric Company of New York, are made defendants, and similar suits will be commenced in several States.

Bidwell charges that the defendant corporations, as well as others, have made immense profits out of his invention, and the suit is based upon infringement of his patent. He asks for a royalty of 40 per cent. on the net profits.

**RAIN QUENCHES FIRES.**  
Further Destruction of Property in Mill Valley Checked.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—A danger of the further destruction of property in Mill Valley from the forest fires, which have prevailed there for some days, has passed for the present at least. The heavy rains of last night and early today have dampened the brush and timber so much that the fires have about disappeared.

The stories of the great losses in the residence section of the valley have been greatly exaggerated.

**QUENCH FOREST FIRES.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SANTA CRUZ, Oct. 11.—Heavy showers have been falling in this vicinity since midnight, and have quenched the forest fires which have been raging in this vicinity for the past two weeks, doing immense damage.

**HEAD BLOWN OFF.**  
Farmer Killed by Accidental Discharge of a Shotgun.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]<



## [SPORTING RECORD.]

## HER FEARLESS CREW

## COLUMBIA'S MEN BET THEIR WAGES ON HER.

Offers of Odds of Ten to Eight on the Yankee Beauty Find No Takers on New York Stock Exchange.

Designer Hirschhoff to Help Capt. Barr Manager. Hirschhoff, Topall Pleases Iselin—The Weather Prospects Poor.

Boston Whiteashes the Phillies. Races at Morris Park, Detroit and Cincinnati—Summaries from Oakland.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The outlook for a race between the Shamrock and the Columbia tomorrow is none of the best. Even the hitherto optimistic Weather Bureau will not promise a breeze. The revised agreement calls for a start every week day from this time on, so that there is a possibility of the fate of the cup being decided this week.

Looking as fine as two fiddles tuned up to concert pitch, the Columbia and Shamrock lay quietly at their moorings all day, with their tenders close at hand, and tugs standing by for a call. During the early morning hours, the fog was even thicker than Tuesday, but when the sun came up, toward noon, the fog cleared away under the influence of a light breeze from the southwest.

The cover was taken off the Columbia's mainsail, just before noon and it was given a thorough overhauling and drying. The new club topsail was also looked after, and the running gear inspected fore and aft.

Speaking of the new topsail made for the Columbia since the last race, and set Tuesday for the first time, Mr. Iselin said: "Yes, it is a larger sail than any of the others, and I am pleased with the way it sets. Whether it is larger than any of the Shamrock's I am not prepared to say. You, who see the boats under sail from the distance, ought to be able to tell that, for I have not seen the sails of either boat from a distance."

The utmost confidence in the American yacht prevails among her crew. Many of them have wagered a month's pay on her, and all agree that she cannot be beaten under the conditions at the Horsehoe, where the fleet of yachts and tenders is lying, were nearly as depressing today as yesterday. The morning breeze was like that of the day before, although less dense, which lifted slowly as the day advanced. Not a breath of air was stirring, and there was no sign of a breeze until the early afternoon, which was the dreariest part of the day.

On board the defender and challenger, a close watch was kept through the mist for vessels, but aside from the ordinary routine, there was little for the crew to do except wait for the breeze and hope for a wind. As the day advanced, the fog lifted, until at noon it was hardly more than a haze on the water.

About 1 o'clock the first breeze of the day came up from the south, light and hardly more than enough to make a ripple on the water. In the afternoon this increased, although it was never more than enough to move the smallest boats.

The sail-covers on the big yachts, taken off at midday, were replaced about mid-afternoon, the Columbia's men being the first to do this. No work on sails or rigging was done on the American boat. On the Shamrock, none had been attempted on other days.

C. Oliver Iselin said the new club topsail and the mainsail were both satisfactory, so far as he could tell, and no more change was to be expected. He said further that practically no changes had been made on the Columbia. He denied that any trouble had been experienced with the latter, and stated that the work on that had been merely painting.

"This one is not galvanized," he said, "and we have to treat it as such. That is the reason for the work of the sailors on it."

In response to a question, Iselin said Designer Hirschhoff would sail on the Columbia on all of the cup races, as he had sailed on the trials already held, and would add his experience and knowledge of the boat to that of Capt. Barr.

At the New York Stock Exchange today offers of odds of 10 to 8 on the Columbia found no takers. There was no backing the Shamrock in the hands of commission brokers.

Money at the New York Yacht Club and other clubs has found no Shamrock takers, and the Columbia seems to be the favorite yacht with American bettors.

## [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The local weather bureau has received the following from Washington: "To Observer, New York: Unsettled weather tonight and Thursday, with no present indication of brisk winds. (Signed) 'WILLIAMS, Acting Chief, Weather Bureau.'"

## EASTERN BASEBALL.

Boston Whiteashes the Phillies through the efforts of Flick. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—Stahl's catching of a seemingly sure three-bagger of Flick in the eighth inning saved at least one run and probably the game for Boston. Game called in the eighth on account of darkness. The attendance was 1700. Score: Boston, 2; hits, 6; errors, 1. Philadelphia, 0; hits, 5; errors, 0. Batteries—Willis and Sullivan; Fraser and McFarland. Umpires—Emslie and Dwyer.

## BROOKLYN-NEW YORK.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The season closed here today with a game with Brooklyn, 7; hits, 10; errors, 0. Batteries—Garrett and Warner; Reidy and Farrell. Umpires—Connolly and Hunt.

## FOOTBALL GAME.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11.—The St. Louis-Cincinnati game was postponed. Wet grounds.

## NICK BURLEY'S FIGHT.

Made the Ex-Gunner of the Iowa Lie Down. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SEATTLE (Wash.), Oct. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nick Burley of Los Angeles made Tom Costello, the big ex-gunner of the Iowa, lie down here tonight in the third round. Burley landed when and where he pleased.

The finishing blow was a right swing on the neck.

## Windsor's Close Finishes.

DETROIT (Mich.), Oct. 11.—The finishes at Windsor today were close, and in all but one race the favorite was in second position when the line was crossed. The weather was threatening and the track fast.

Six furlongs, selling: Spring Well won, second, Lady S. Bratton third; time 1:14. Five furlongs, selling: May S. won, second, Fiddler third; time 1:02.4. Mile and one-sixteenth: Bell Punch won, second, Windward third; time 1:49.4.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Mr. Brown won, second, Northumbria third; time 1:08.4. Six furlongs, selling: Viola K. won, second, Lizzie Kelly third; time 1:16.4.

## Chicago Races.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—The weather was cloudy and track fast. Mile and one-eighth: Hold Up won, second, Highland Prince third; time 1:38.4. Five furlongs: Fidel Youth won, second, Emma R. third; time 1:01.4.

Six furlongs: Moccirito won, second, Montgomery third; time 1:13.4. Mile and one-sixteenth: Benneville won, second, Rotterdam third; time 1:45.4.

Seven furlongs: Brownie Anderson won, second, Bassada third; time 1:27.4. Mile: Mistral II won, second, Periwig second, Prestar third; time 1:40.4.

## Morris Park Events.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Results at Morris Park: Steplechase, about two miles, selling: De Cameron won, second, Nestor third; time 4:08. Six furlongs: Lament won, A. N. B. second, Lady Uncas third; time 1:15.4.

The McGrathians, seven furlongs: Toluca won, second, Country Dance third; time 1:23. Seven furlongs: Gold One won, second, Federalist third; time 1:23.4.

One mile: Raffaello won, second, Veracrus third; time 1:41.4. One mile and one-sixteenth: Glorian won, second, Hand Press third; time 1:48.4.

## Oakland Summaries.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The weather was fine at Oakland today and track fast. Six furlongs, selling: Lomax won, second, Lou Rey third; time 1:17.4.

Six furlongs: The Scot won, second, Dulness third; time 1:16.4. One mile: May W. won, second, Ringmaster second, Dr. Sheppard third; time 1:42.4.

Seven furlongs: Mamie G. won, second, Imperious third; time 1:29.4. Mile and one-sixteenth: Petal won, second, Donator third; time 1:49.4.

## Cincinnati Results.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 11.—The weather was threatening. The track was good. Seven furlongs: Market won, second, Nucky Me second, Margaret Hagerman third; time 1:31.4.

Five furlongs: Strathlight won, second, Peter Dwyer third; time 1:03.4. One mile, selling: Seattle won, second, Bentley B. third; time 1:43.4.

Mile and an eighth, selling: Frank Thompson won, second, Kringle second, Barbee third; time 1:56.4. Five furlongs: Troubadour won, second, Reseda third; time 1:03.4.

## Kentucky Stakes.

LEXINGTON, (Ky.), Oct. 11.—The Kentucky stakes was the feature of the trotting today. Results: Kentucky stakes for 3-year-olds, 2 in 3, \$2000: Exstasy won in straight heats, best time 2:16.4. The Merchant second, My Trick third; time 2:10.4. \$1000: Malsour won in straight heats, best time 2:15.4. Una Belle second, Alice Carr third; time 2:14.4. \$1000: Glory won second third and fourth heats, best time 2:14.4. Fleetwood won first heat in 2:15, and was second, Cutting third.

## Raced in Mud.

FRESNO, Oct. 11.—Owing to the rain today, the races did not amount to much. The most amusing feature was a gentleman's race in the mud between local horses.

The four-and-a-half mile handicap was won by Senator Wilson, Castellor second, Jim Brownell third; time 1:03.4. The four-and-a-half furlong race was won by Steve Diamond, Federal second, Cowboy third; time 0:57.4.

## WOMEN'S HOTEL.

Over One-third of the Capital Stock Subscribed to Date. [A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.] NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—It is thought that the construction of the proposed hotel for women in this city will be begun in January next. The amount of the capital stock is to be \$400,000, and it will be necessary to have three-fourths of it subscribed before the company may be incorporated. The total subscription to date amounts to something over \$150,000.

The enterprise involves the construction of a twelve-story building, with all modern improvements, capable of accommodating about 500 women. The patronage will be sought among professional women, such as artists, teachers, physicians, journalists, stenographers, trainees and nurses and others, and the hotel will be run strictly on business principles. The present plan provides for the rent of 364 single rooms, with two alcoves, at \$8 each. The restaurant will also be run on low rates.

The exact location of the new hotel has not yet been determined upon, but it has been learned that it will be built at some point between Union Square and Thirty-third street, and not far from Broadway. The total cost, including the land, will be \$800,000, half of which will be covered by a \$400,000 mortgage. Some of the prominent persons who have taken stock in the company are John D. Rockefeller, William S. Schermerhorn, Mrs. Elliott P. Shepard, John D. Henry, L. H. How, Levi P. Morton and Mrs. James Speyer.

## NAVY ADVANCEMENTS.

Numerous Promotions the Result of Howison's Retirement. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The retirement of Rear-Admiral Henry L. Howison has resulted in the promotion of the following named officers:

Capt. A. S. Barker, commandant of the Norfolk navy yard to be rear-admiral; Commander Edward P. Strong, to be captain; Lieut.-Commander J. B. Briggs to be commander; Lieut. R. T. Mulligan, to be lieutenant-commander; Lieut. J. H. Royen, (junior grade) to be lieutenant.

Admiral Howison stood No. 3 in the list of rear-admirals. His retirement advances Rear-Admiral Schley from No. 9 to No. 8, and Rear-Admiral Sampson from No. 11 to No. 10, placing the latter at the head of the list of junior rear-admirals.

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## TEN MEN SHOT.

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whence she will sail in a week or so. She and the N. Orleans will probably travel in company.

The auxiliary cruiser Resolute, which is to transport supplies to Porto Rico, is expected in port soon. She is commanded by Commander Kelley.

Naval Constructor Bowles is making the Buffalo into a first-class passenger ship to take care of families of officers in the Philippine fleet to Manila. Accommodations for women and children are being put in, and the ship is being made very comfortable.

## FUNSTON'S MEN LAND.

THEIR RECEPTION SECOND ONLY TO THE CALIFORNIANS.

March to the Presidio an Exciting One, for the Dense Crowds Piled in Upon Their Lines—Interview With the Kansas General.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—The Twentieth Kansas Regiment and the 400 discharged soldiers, who arrived here last night on the transport Taitar, were landed today, after being anchored in the stream all morning, along the progress of the health officers' examination. The stay at anchor was made less monotonous by the attentions of hundreds of people who journeyed as near to the transport as the quarantine regulations would permit, and showed messages and questions upon the boys. Fruit and other things to eat in abundance were passed on board, much to the gratification of the soldiers.

The inspection was finished early in the afternoon, and the word was passed among the soldiers that the vessel would be docked immediately. A great hurrah greeted the announcement, and the soldiers commenced their preparations for debarkation. Under the guidance of a powerful tugboat, the transport was towed to the government dock. The waterfront was black with people, all anxious to greet the regiment. As the Taitar moved slowly along the water, the soldiers were cheered time and again. Flags were dipped and whistles and calliope added to the din.

The scene in the vicinity of the transport dock was an exciting one. Hundreds of relatives and friends of the discharged California soldiers, who accompanied the Kansas home, gathered here to get a few words with the soldiers before they commenced the march. The march to the Presidio reservation was also an exciting one for the soldiers. The welcome they received was second only to that accorded the home-troop soldiers on their return. Both sides of Market street, and the other streets through which the street passed, were thronged with people, all anxious to do them homage. Cheers upon cheers passed up and down the lines of people. Cannons were fired at intervals, bells clanged and whistles and calliope added their respective noises to the occasion.

The Kansas marched to the Presidio, escorted by artillery officers, and four companies of artillery. Gen. Funston and Gov. Stanley of Kansas and escort followed. The throngs of soldiers and civilians, and he had great difficulty making progress through the crowds. Cheers upon cheers greeted him as he passed. The march was a military salute, and an occasional doffing of his cap. A great break in the parade occurred, called forth by a military salute of people filled the interval.

The soldiers, headed by Col. Metcalf, followed. Each man carried a rifle, which had been decorated with flowers. The crowds simply would not let the soldiers pass in peace. Breaks occurred every few minutes. Relatives and friends broke into the ranks and marched with the soldiers, some smiling and happy and others crying and weeping. The regiment, in spite of the arduous campaign through which they had passed, showed a tremendous burst of applause when they were sighted.

All in all, the soldiers looked to be in fine health, but of course the effects of the severe ordeal through which they have passed. Bringing up in the rear of the regiment were the hospital wagons, which were heavily laden with sick.

The parade was reviewed on Van Ness avenue by Gen. Shafter, Gov. Stanley and Gov. Rogers of Washington, and their staffs.

Gen. Funston, in an interview today, said: "This is America. You know—and I am an American. That tells the story best of our delight in reaching home again. There is nothing like the great joy of being back among you all here among people whom we know are our countrymen and kin."

"I have only this to say of the campaign in the Philippines—everything is being done that could be to carry the war to an early and successful conclusion. The report that I am an anti-expansionist is ridiculous. I never intended of serious consideration. I never intended such a thing, and have been wrongly quoted in the matter."

The people to be considered, when they are passing judgment, that there are countless conditions to be constantly combated and overcome before the headway of the march can be maintained. The exact difficulties of the situation are not fully understood. Some mistakes may have been made, but the campaign has been conducted in a most able and conscientious manner, and every man has done his best. No grave errors have occurred, but it is always easy to look back and comment upon what has been done, even though that might have been accomplished under trying circumstances."

## KANSAS REJOICES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] KANSAS CITY, Oct. 11.—All Kansas is rejoicing over the arrival at San Francisco of the Twentieth Kansas Regiment and Gen. Funston. When the news came last night almost every city and town in the State sent a delegation to meet the regiment, and these people, to become good and industrious citizens."

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day from the effects of a fever contracted in the Philippines a few months ago, while commanding one battalion of the Fourth Infantry. Maj. Webster was old Indian fighter, and saw active service with the Fourth Infantry in Cuba and Luzon.

## THE POPE'S ATTITUDE.

Insurgents Will Receive No Support from Catholic Church.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The support of the Pope's attitude toward this country, especially in relation to the Philippines and Cuba, Archbishop Keane said today: "The Pope has accepted the result of the war between the United States and Spain, and has determined that the priests in the islands, who passed from Spain to America shall support the American government in all things. He has no sympathy with the insurgents in the islands, and they will receive no support from the church, any more than they would be encouraged by the priests in their revolution against Spain. On this subject the Pope is firm. He still retains affection for America and Americans."

"Archbishop Chappelle has just been made an apostolic delegate to the Philippines, and has announced that the church in those islands must be brought to conform with the American church in every respect. The church there is to be brought into full sympathy with the church in this country."

## HARD AFTER REBELS.

Heavy Fighting Expected of Gen. Lawton and MacArthur. [A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.] NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—A special to the Herald from Washington says that general advance along the American lines in Luzon has begun, and War Department officials expect results in some heavy fighting within the next two days. Official dispatches received and not made public show that both Gen. Lawton and MacArthur are moving forward with their forces, the purpose being to get control of the railroad and the important towns as far as possible.

Eventually it is intended to send an expedition by water to Lingayen, near the northern terminus of the railway, so as to flank the enemy. This expedition, however, will not start until additional troops have arrived. Meanwhile the divisions under both Lawton and MacArthur will push north as far as they can.

According to statements made at the War Department, this advance is to be made permanent. There are to be no more towns taken and then abandoned. With the additional troops which have arrived, the rainy season, and others to follow, Gen. Corbin says that there will be a sufficient number of troops to enable the army to advance as fast as they are taken, and still leave a formidable force for continuing the onward movement.

It is this northward movement of the American forces that probably accounts for the recent great activity of the insurgents south of Manila.

## "WELCOMING" HOAR HOME.

Gov. Wolcott and Senator Frye Stand for the Flag. [A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.] WORCESTER (Mass.), Oct. 11.—Speaking last night at the Republican mass meeting that welcomed Senator Hoar home from Europe, Gov. Wolcott said:

"As regards the warfare being conducted in the Philippine Islands, I believe it is abhorrent to the public sentiment of this nation to hold permanently by control of arms a subject people. But I believe it is also no less abhorrent to the public sentiment of this nation to see the flag of the United States, where it legally belongs, attacked by armed forces. Let me show the United States flag and then, my friends, I pray and I believe that the Congress of the United States shall show the flag to the leadership of President McKinley, to accord to every country under that flag the fullest and freest government of which they are themselves capable."

Senator Frye of Maine was received with great cheering, and said in part: "Since the close of the civil war, the progress of the United States has been the whole world. We have the best market known on earth at home, a market which shows the flag of our entire product. It is rather refreshing for us Republicans, here tonight, that all this home market has been seen by the United States flag."

Today our produce supplies the home market and the greater part of Europe. If you cannot dispose of this product backward you go. In manufactures, especially shoemaking, I say there is no earthly reason why we should not make shoes and make boots and shoes for the whole of Europe, if we take the necessary steps to introduce them in the markets of the world."

"Is there any means by which we can shorten the distance? Yes, by building the Nicaragua or some other canal, and making it a neutral to any country in the world except in the event of war. New York will be day after tomorrow, the Northern line than Liverpool, 1500 miles nearer Yokohama, and 2000 miles nearer Korea. Any intelligent man is able to see before him the advantages of distance will increase America's interest in the trade with the Orient. For the first time in history we are recognized as a world power."

"What shall we do with the Philippines? First, the rebellion must and shall be crushed out. The sooner the rebellion is crushed out, the sooner Aguinaldo says in his last proclamation that he will prolong the contest because the Democrats have declared that he will prolong the contest."

Think of that! I cannot understand how an American citizen could vote the Democratic ticket. We will give the Philippines good government, the people say. We will build churches, schools, railroads and highways, and modern implements in their hands, extend civilization in the archipelago, and create an ambition, if possible, among these people, to become good and industrious citizens."

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## MUSIC BOX DAY.

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Yes, it rained; and it wasn't any slow day, either, at Bartlett's yesterday. Music Box customers were numerous and, of course, the number sold was in excess of the piano sales. Still we managed to keep our teams busy carting out to their new homes the large number of pianos which were disposed of. It appears that the people have just awakened to a realization of the fact that not only are we selling the medium and cheaper grades of pianos at wholesale prices, but that those who are artistically inclined, and will not be satisfied with any other than the best, can get it here. In other words, that the great piano sale includes all the Steinway pianos, all the Weber stock and all the Kimball goods at the same old prices. Certainly it is a showing that any of the music houses outside of New York might be proud of to dispose of two superb Steinway pianos in one day. That is what we did yesterday—and they were sandwiched in between Weber and Kimball and several other cheaper priced piano sales.

We advertised yesterday as "Music Box Day," but we think it could more properly have been called

## Steinway Day.

A beautiful Cabinet Grand Upright Steinway piano was sold to Mrs. Frank Leconneur, and will be not only a source of musical enjoyment in her home but an ornament to her parlor.

Another Upright Grand Steinway, in choicest dark mahogany case, will hereafter grace the home of Mr. Frank E. Moore, the well-known druggist of Godfrey & Moore. This piano was purchased for Mrs. Moore as a surprise, she being now in the East on a visit.

We cannot too strongly insist on your giving this great piano sale the consideration it deserves if your home is without a piano, and now—right now—is the time to attend to it. We have more pianos, but they won't last always, and from present indications the choicest ones will be gone in a very short time. We are willing to suit you in every proposition—pianos, prices, terms—everything will be made to your entire satisfaction.

Again, don't forget this is "Music Box Day."

BARTLETT'S MUSIC HOUSE, 233 South Spring Street, next to Los Angeles Theater.

## CHICAGO CAR FAMINE.

Builders are Being Urged to Construct More Rolling Stock. [A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.] CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—One of the most serious car famines ever recorded exists among the big railroad terminals in Chicago. Several of the roads report that the congestion of business has assumed the proportions of a blockade. To add to the embarrassment the cars will not accommodate the cars obtainable. Freight houses are filled, and at many points along trains stand on the main tracks for hours before they can be taken care of. Sidetracks and yards for distances of fifty miles or over from the city are being utilized to accommodate the unprecedented crush of traffic.

In addition to the blockade, the railroad officials find it impossible to obtain enough extra men. The famine in help appears to be as great as the famine in cars. New business is being refused on every hand, and the car and locomotive builders are pressed to rush orders for equipment. One thousand cars built for the Rio Grande road by an Indiana firm have mysteriously disappeared en route to the West. It is said that they are being used by loads short of cars and will be held until the famine is over.

## INDUSTRIAL CONVENTION.

M. V. Richards Speaks on Immigration to the South. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HUNTSVILLE (Ala.), Oct. 11.—At the session of the Southern Industrial Convention today, M. V. Richards of Alabama read a paper on "Immigration to the South." He said in part: "Immigration from the North to the South is what the people of the North want, and is just what the people of the South want. Let them have it."

"Immigration means an infusion of new blood; the introduction of new methods; a coming in of new ideas; an augmentation of the vital forces, and a general advance all along the line of development, progress and prosperity."

"There are many things we of the South can do as well as the North. We can make our surroundings attractive to the North. We must begin in our homes; we must begin to beautify and make attractive, and so enact our laws, general and municipal, as to show to ourselves and the world at large that we are on the car of progress."

"Now is the time for the whole people to equip themselves with the paraphernalia necessary for battle with an aggressive life."

## Chicago Fall Festival.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—It has been decided to make the Fall Festival, which comes to a close tonight, an annual fixture. An elaborate agricultural display will be one of the striking features in future years. The National Association of Farmers' Institutes Workers, now in session in this city, has decided to promote the scheme.

## At New York Hotels.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] S. B. Hines and wife are at the Gerard; E. D. Casterline is at the Cosmopolitan; A. H. Metzger and J. P. Borden and wife are at the Imperial.

## A Whole Window Full

On display in our north window—and they are without a doubt the handsomest lot of crepons for the money ever shown in Los Angeles. 931 yards is the number of yards on our invoice—they have just arrived and will be put on sale this morning.

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If you will allow us to show you our Fall Stock of High Grade Suits and Top Coats, you will agree with us that no stock in town compares with what we show.

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EX-SECRETARY DAY ON THE PHILIPPINE PURCHASE.

The Twenty Million Dollars Paid Was a Consideration in Favor of an Immediate Settlement on Terms of Peace.

Title to the Islands So Obtained is Indisputable—In His Mind the Question of Conquest is not at Issue.

Movement on Foot to Oust a Friend of Senator Hill—Mass Meeting to Welcome Home Home. Talk for the Flag.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 11.—The first public utterance of Judge William H. Day, who was president of the American Peace Commission, concerning the deliberations of the commissioners at Paris, is contained in a letter written to former Congressman D. K. Watson of this city, and read by him at a Republican meeting of this city tonight. Judge Day said that the reasons which, in his mind, justified the payment of \$20,000,000 for the Philippines, declaring that it was never intended by the American commissioners that the United States had a right to the Philippines as a matter of conquest. In this letter, after reviewing at length the long negotiations between the Spanish and American commissioners, reciting the several propositions submitted to the Spaniards for the cession of the Philippines and the final offer, for the sake of securing an immediate peace, to the United States of \$20,000,000, Judge Day says:

"On the 28th of November the Spanish commissioners accepted the terms offered by the representatives of the United States. You will observe that in making this proposal it is distinctly said that it embodies the concessions which, for the sake of immediate peace, the American government was willing to make. There were doubtless other reasons actuating the commissioners in making this proposal, though I think the chief one is embodied in the statement above written. It was not claimed that the United States had a right to the Philippines as a matter of conquest."

"The United States has never undertaken, so far as I know, to exact from a foreign country, lands or possessions simply by right of conquest. Had we been disposed to do so, it must be remembered that we were the stronger only of the city, bay and harbor of Manila, under the protocol of August 12, 1898, providing the United States should occupy and hold the same pending the conclusion of a treaty of peace which should determine the control, disposition and government of the Philippines."

"The capture, after the signing of the protocol, by Gen. Merritt and his forces, whatever its legal effect may have been, involved no more territory than we were entitled to hold under the protocol. In addition to the hope of accomplishing immediate peace, which, I need hardly say, was of great importance at that time, there was a strong desire to treat Spain with a degree of magnanimity and respect for our national honor and prestige, following our national precedent in the treatment of Mexico for the cession of territory to us at the close of the Mexican war. By the cession for a consideration, we obtained an indisputable title which must be respected by all other nations."

"It must be remembered, too, that the American commissioners had constantly refused to assume any of the outstanding debts or obligations which Spain has undertaken to fasten upon the Philippines. Notwithstanding our offer to pay for specific improvements, Spain had not undertaken to substantiate any claim upon that ground."

"Of course, I speak only for myself, and I write this in the hope of an opportunity to consult with my fellow-commissioners. In my judgment, the concession referred to was effectual in bringing about acceptance of our proposals, which resulted in the making of the treaty."

## GOTHAMITE DEMOCRATS.

Movement on Foot to Oust Ex-Senator Hill's Friend.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.] NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The Democratic State Central Committee will meet at the Hotel Hamilton tonight. There is said to be a movement on foot to oust Frank Campbell, ex-Senator David B. Hill's close friend, not only from the chairmanship of the State committee, but from his position as national committeeman from New York. Both of these places are held at the pleasure of the State committee. The national committeeman, however, cannot take his seat until he has been approved by the National Committee.

David B. Hill will attend the meeting with many proxies from up the State. It is alleged that ex-Senator Murphy and Richard Croker are making the fight on Campbell. Friends of Hill intimate that Campbell is attacked because of his devotion to Bryan, but Murphy and Croker have both declared for Bryan very recently, and the trouble seems to be the continuation of the old feud between Hill and Croker.

## FIRE AND FIREWATER.

A Combination That Proved the Undoing of Charles Miller.

Fire and firewater are a combination that proved the undoing of Charles Miller, a gardener employed by Mrs. W. P. Dunham, No. 1033 Westlake avenue, whose husband is at his mines at the Cripple Creek, Colo. By drinking the one and playing with the other, Miller lost his job and was sent to jail besides. The high wind of Tuesday made Miller very dry, and he imbued freely of ardent spirits. Within three sheets in the wind he undertook to burn brush and rubbish about Mrs. Dunham's place, Tuesday evening. Owing to the great employer fear that the fire might be communicated to adjacent houses, she, therefore, requested Miller not to burn the rubbish before the elements subsided. The demon drink, however, had control of the gardener, and he was bound to have a display of fireworks at all hazards. The more Mrs. Dunham protested the more Miller insisted upon having a bonfire. When his employer insisted that he should not start a conflagration, he grew violent and began to berate the lady with foul and violent language. At this stage of the game Special Officer Foster arrived upon the scene, and he, too, was treated to a volley of oaths and curses. Foster sent Miller to the Police Station, and yesterday complained against him in the Police Court on the charge of disturbing the peace. The prisoner was duly convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of \$10, with the alternative of five days' imprisonment.

## DEATH OF A. B. RICH.

Well-known Advertising Solicitor Dies in Arizona.

A. B. Rich, an advertising solicitor, for several years in the employ of the Evening Record, of this city, died suddenly in Phoenix, Ariz., yesterday morning. He left Los Angeles on a collecting tour through Arizona on the 5th inst., intending to return to this city yesterday. While at the Hotel Adams Tuesday night he was taken with a pain in his stomach. Three physicians were summoned, but he grew rapidly worse till death ensued. Rich had been a resident of Los Angeles for four years, and came here on account of his wife's failing health. He had been previously advertising solicitor for Chicago papers, and a Chicago railroad man. Death was the result of fatty degeneration of the heart, superinduced by gallstone. The deceased leaves a widow who resides at the Hotel Livingstone, and who is very much prostrated because of her husband's sudden ending. The remains will either be brought to this city or taken to Chicago for interment.

## FOREIGN MISSION WORK.

HUNDRED AND FIFTY DELEGATES WHO ARE HELPING IT.

Annual Meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Pacific Coast in Progress at the University Church.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Pacific branch, was opened yesterday at the University Methodist Church. The sessions will continue throughout today and Friday. The various auxiliaries of the society, scattered throughout California, Nevada and Arizona, are represented by delegates, numbering in all about one hundred and fifty. The general meeting was preceded by a session of the executive board. There were thirty members of this committee present. Much routine business was transacted, important matters being left for the deliberations of the general assembly. The opening session convened at 9:30 a. m. in the church auditorium. Miss Isabelle Leonard of Evanston, Ill., was in charge of the opening exercises. Mrs. Clara V. Kummer of San Jose delivered the president's address. She spoke of the good work done by the Pacific branch during the year of her administration. At the last annual meeting it had been decided that the ladies should endeavor to raise \$7500 for the work in India and China. They had done better than this by \$2000. Mrs. L. O. Dougherty of the University auxiliary gave the address of welcome, and Mrs. Caroline E. Oliver of Oakland responded. The roll call showed an attendance of 150 and many more delegates are expected today. The presiding officers are: Mrs. C. B. Oliver, Berkeley; Mrs. Hervey Lindley, Whittier; Mrs. J. A. Wood, South Pasadena; and Mrs. Marion Taylor of Oakland. Enrollment, Mrs. Charles Brown, University; and Miss Caruthers of San Jose; Finance, Mrs. E. M. Van Den Bergh, Santa Barbara; Courtiers, Misses E. M. Crow and P. M. Larkin of Los Angeles; Eclaireurs, Misses M. F. Woodcock, Monterey; F. W. Hart, North Ontario; J. W. Van Cleave, Z. L. Parmelee and E. C. Seymour of Los Angeles. The balance of the morning was taken up by the report of the executive board, presented by the branch secretary, Mrs. Laura C. Spencer of Manana. Mrs. Z. L. Parmelee showed that the branch had secured \$8000 during the year past. Of this amount all but \$500 had been appropriated for missionary work in the field. The balance being put into a contingency fund.

At the afternoon session the executive board was empowered to appoint a delegate to the international meeting to be held in New York next April. Reports were then called for. Mrs. C. C. Lombard of Oakland, on behalf of the California Conference, reported that twelve new auxiliaries had been organized during the year. The report of the branch treasurer, Mrs. Z. L. Parmelee, showed the following amounts raised by the conferences: California, \$2589.04; Southern California, \$482.30; German conference, \$372.25; Arizona, \$11; Nevada, \$139. The miscellaneous receipts added to the above made the total receipts \$8018.18. Among the interesting items was the note of the receipt of \$25 from a Chinese auxiliary at Foo Chow. The Chinese there collected thirty-five dollars and made them into small statues, which were sent to this country for sale, and will realize a considerable amount for the mission fund.

The session will reconvene at 9:30 o'clock this morning. The day will be taken up with committee reports and business. Tonight Mrs. Marion Taylor of Oakland will speak. Her subject will be "Woman's Debt." She has the reputation of being one of the foremost platform speakers among American women. This evening's session will also be entertaining because of a very fine musical programme that has been arranged.

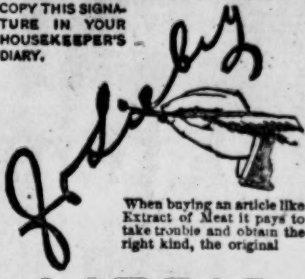
To Join His Regiment.

Capt. D. R. Weller of the Forty-fourth Infantry, U.S.V., left at noon yesterday for San Francisco, where he will remain awaiting the arrival there of his regiment, and will later sail with the command for Manila. The regiment has been quartered at Fort Leavenworth. It will sail from San Francisco in a short time.

CHANGE OF MANAGEMENT.

Mr. D. A. Vail of San Francisco has been appointed manager of Sanborn, Vail & Co., Los Angeles, and has taken charge of their store on Spring street. Important changes in the management of the store and the addition of many new lines of goods will make the store of Sanborn, Vail & Co. the best in Los Angeles for artists' materials, pictures, frames, stationery and leather goods.

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## GENERAL FALL OF RAIN.

MUCH OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA IS QUITE WELL DRENCHED.

Storm Comes at an Inopportune Time for Some Ranchers, but the Loss Will Not Be Great—More in Prospect.

Although nearly 30 of inch of rain fell in the city yesterday, the country outside the city and adjacent counties received a much more copious drenching. There was a light sprinkle before noon, and beginning about 1 o'clock the rain continued lightly for half an hour, and then came a downpour, which, had it continued until night, would have caused the gauges to register an inch or two. Until after 4 o'clock there were frequent light sprinkles, and then the clouds disappeared and a clear sunset followed. The Weather Bureau had predicted showers during the night, but up to midnight there was no indication of a fulfillment of that prophecy. The night reports from other points, however, indicated that the storm, if it can be called such, is not over and, despite the prediction of fair weather today, frequent or heavy showers would not be surprising. In this city the rain was only heavy enough to wash the paved streets. In the old district it almost filled some of the sunholes, so that if there is more of it today, the residence section in the southwestern portion of the city will be almost certain to receive a flood of black oil, because the law with reference to proper filling of the holes in the oil fields has been allowed to become almost a dead letter.

## ORANGE COUNTY.

Rain, began falling again in the Santa Ana Valley yesterday afternoon, continuing until almost midnight. Almost an inch of water fell. The indications were favorable for more during the night.

At Anaheim last night there was every indication of more rain. A light shower occurred the night before. SANTA BARBARA COUNTY. In Santa Barbara the rain began falling at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and continued at intervals throughout the day. In the northern part of the county, the precipitation was much heavier. Last night there was a deluge of rain, and the heavy crop had not been disposed of, and the rain upon it will cause some loss to the farmers.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY. A dispatch from San Diego last night says that the indications were for a heavy rain before morning. A light shower began there at 1 o'clock p. m., and continued until nearly dark.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY. Rain began falling at Riverside at 2 p. m. and continued for some hours. The precipitation amounted to .29 of an inch. Reports from the back country indicate that the storm is general in scope. Indications last night were favorable for more rain.

VENTURA COUNTY. Nearly half an inch of rain fell at Ventura yesterday afternoon. At Huemene the gauge showed .60 of an inch, and at Springville and Los Pesas the precipitation was nearly as great.

Little, if any, damage will be done to the crops of Lima beans and beets. In the San Fernando Valley, the rainfall was much heavier than in the city. Most of the water disappeared into the dry earth, and the flow in the small streams was not greatly increased. At the waterworks headworks, however, the depth of the river was increased several inches. At Pasadena there was a good downpour.

Football Accident. Percy Northcott, about 13 years old, while playing football yesterday afternoon at St. Vincent's College, sustained a fracture of the left leg above the knee. He was taken in Bressie Bros' ambulance to the Sisters' Hospital.

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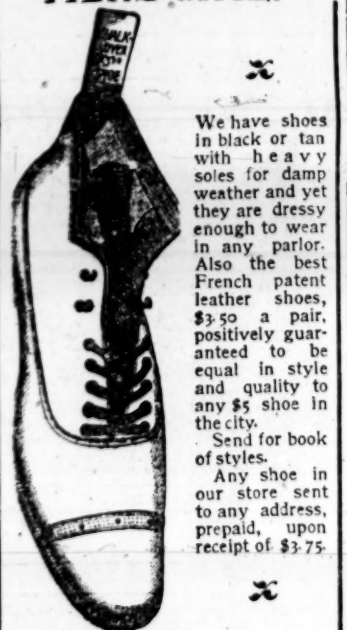
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# The Times

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Oct. 11.—(Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.8; at 8 p.m., 29.1. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 54 deg. and 56 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 50 per cent.; 8 p.m., 74 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., southwest, velocity 2 miles; 8 p.m., southwest, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum temperature, 53 deg. Rainfall, past twenty-four hours, .30 of an inch; rainfall for season, .20 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea level.

**DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.**  
Los Angeles ..... 56 San Francisco ..... 50  
San Diego ..... 60 Portland ..... 50  
**Weather Conditions.**—The storm is central this morning in Western Oregon and Northern California, where the pressure is very low, 29.5. Rain has fallen in the San Joaquin and Sacramento Valleys and Western Oregon. Rain was falling at Fresno at the observation hour. It was snowing at Carson City, and hailing at Flagstaff at that hour, and a severe east gale prevails at the latter place. The temperature has fallen from 2 deg. to 10 deg. west of the Rocky Mountains.

**Forecast.**—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Generally cloudy and unsettled tonight, very likely with showers, followed by fair, warmer weather Thursday. City at San Francisco, Oct. 11, 5 p.m.—Weather conditions and general forecast. Rain has fallen generally over the Pacific slope. The storm covers nearly the entire country west of the Rocky Mountains. The temperature has fallen from 10 to 18 deg. over Eastern California and Nevada. Rain has fallen in the Sierra, and temperatures below freezing may be expected Thursday in Nevada. The following maximum wind velocities are reported: Winnemucca, 24 miles per hour from the east; Yuma, 26 miles per hour from the northwest. The following rainfalls are reported up to 5 p.m.:

Loc.	In.	Loc.	In.
San Francisco	.02	San Luis Obispo	.18
Sacramento	.02	San Diego	.01
Red Bluff	.08	T. San Diego	.01
Fresno	.08		

Forecasts made at San Francisco for thirty hours, ending at midnight, October 12:  
For Northern California: Showers Thursday; continued cool weather; fresh southwesterly winds.  
For Southern California: Showers Thursday; continued cool weather; fresh southwesterly winds.  
For Nevada: Rain or snow Thursday; continued cold weather.  
For Arizona: Rain Thursday; much colder.  
For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Thursday; occasional light showers; fresh southwest winds.

**The Times' Weather Record.**—Observations made at 1 p.m. and midnight, daily:  
October 11: Barometer ..... 29.50  
Thermometer ..... 64  
Humidity ..... 70  
Weather ..... Partly cloudy  
Maximum temperature past 24 hours ..... 68  
Minimum temperature past 24 hours ..... 54

**Tide Table.**—For San Pedro:  
Thursday, Oct. 12: High, 9:15 a.m.; Low, 3:25 p.m.  
Friday, " 13: High, 9:15 a.m.; Low, 3:25 p.m.  
Saturday, " 14: High, 9:15 a.m.; Low, 3:25 p.m.  
Sunday, " 15: High, 9:15 a.m.; Low, 3:25 p.m.

## ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The Pomona press is a unit in condemning a Sunday street fight between drunken men, that continued for nearly an hour, the fighters unmolested by any peace officer. Such things blazoned to the world as they are certain to be—do more hurt to that city than all her blessings can outweigh. Every man, woman, and child of understanding in Pomona should be each a committee of one; first to punish these blackguards; and, second, to make the town too hot to hold those who are likely to repeat the disgrace. The fact that one of them "is a good fellow when not drunk" makes his shame all the more offensive.

New and valuable finds of oil in the Fullerton district have given an impetus to investment in that line, and, incidentally, to every other avenue of business in that section. Real estate in that county is experiencing a gradual rise, and all else follows suit. Building is general and extensive, and on all sides real prosperity is manifest. Five acres of land south of Fullerton sold last week for \$5000, but it must be remembered that that land was "watched and tended" and "dead tree was there." Recapitulation: By reason of capital, courage and hard labor invested, that section is in a thriving condition. Lesson: So, also, may any other section be, through the same means.

In Riverside preparations are being made to open up an additional 100 acres of land and plant it to navel oranges, arrangements having been completed to convey water to it. This is remarkable, principally for the fact that the men who have invested the necessary money are "experienced orange-growers." It is submitted to prospective property purchasers that men who know by experience all there is to learn of citrus-raising, and do not invest their money hurriedly or on chances. Therefore, if these men are warranted in this investment, so would other men be. The fact that the only obstacle to obtaining water was sufficient money and pluck to develop it is not without significance in this water-developing age.

One Martin Muldowney and a so-called restaurant he conducted in Redlands, were the causes of much vexation of soul to the reputable folk of that town, and so much that, after a lapse of more than a year, the authorities have arrested and will prosecute him for the "blind-pigging" of that time. There is no can be any good objection to this, but it forces to the front by comparison the lax attitude of these same good-folk toward the crowning curse of the age, the robbing nickel-in-the-slot machine. Fine church edifices dot that beautiful town, and, presumably, fine men control them, yet the jail records, and closeted skeletons in many families cry out against this vile debaucher of youth, and the church people are thunderously silent. Consistency is, or ought to be, a jewel in Christian life.

When a paying investment was found in lemon culls, people were lured; when a good round sum per ton was offered for apricot and peach pits they marveled, and now that Santa Ana has a factory running night and day on corn husks for tamales the limit of surprise is reached. Thus do unexpected avenues open for progressive enterprises, and the man who enters and occupies them is he who is prepared. The possibilities in celery, succulents, oil, the products of petroleum, the packing of edible fish and crustaceans, the manufacture of many things now imported, all invite capital and aggressive will power, and must repay judicious investment. A leading property-owner recently wired to Chicago for a casting; the express charges on which were three times its cost. This truth is a powerful arraignment of local capital.

## A SURE-ENOUGH BURGLAR

SLIPPED THROUGH THE HANDS OF THE LOCAL POLICE.

"Innocent Tourist" Arrested by Special Officer Foster and Turned Loose by the Detectives Comes to Grief in San Francisco.

It transpired yesterday that George Beal, a clever burglar, who was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment in San Francisco recently, slipped through the hands of the local police last June, after robbing several houses in this city. While the local detectives feel some chagrin over this discovery, Private Patrolman C. L. Foster has the satisfaction of being able to say "I told you so."

Foster was subjected to considerable criticism for taking Beal into custody last June, because it was represented that Beal was a wealthy tourist merely traveling about the city to view the sights. Foster's suspicions were aroused by the manner in which Beal prowled around the handsome residences in the Bonnie Brae district, which Foster is employed especially to watch.

Foster showed the young man for two hours before taking him into custody on suspicion of being a burglar on a prospecting tour for good houses to rob.

The suspect appeared to take his arrest as a joke, and accompanied Foster to the Police Station without a murmur, except to protest mildly that he thought the officer had made a mistake. When searched by the detectives a lot of ladies' jewelry was found upon his person, but it was not identified as any stolen property that had been reported to the police. The suspect gave such a good account of himself, by representing that he was merely a tourist who had walked forth to view the beauties of Los Angeles homes, that he was turned loose with profuse apologies for his detention.

Beal commented somewhat sarcastically upon the fact that a tourist could not look at the beauties of Los Angeles without being arrested by a "fresh cop," but he still was disposed to regard his adventure as a capital joke. He left the city quietly forthwith, without filing any charges against the special officer who had so "unwarrantedly" interfered with his personal liberty.

Patrolman Foster endured patiently the gibes leveled at him for arresting an "innocent tourist," confident in the belief that he was not mistaken when he sized Beal up for a professional house-breaker. He bided his time for just such news as has come down from San Francisco, and which fully confirms his original suspicion and justifies his arrest of the suspect.

Two days before Beal was taken into custody by Foster, the residence of Mrs. F. B. Fay, No. 1228 Orange street, was robbed. Among the articles taken was a gold watch, a diamond ring and a diamond-studded breastpin. Articles of this description were found in the suspect's possession when he was searched here, and from information furnished by the local detectives by the San Francisco police, he had the same property, which is believed to be Mrs. Fay's, with him when he was arrested in San Francisco. The plunder will be sent down from San Francisco for inspection and identification.

## LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents, without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. He brief, write plainly; state clearly. The space of 200 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea. No attention paid to anonymous communications.]

## The President and His Duty.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 11.—[To the Editor of The Times:] It may have been said somewhere in the voluminous comments on President McKim's attitude with regard to the Philippines, but if so I have not observed it, that he has a constitutional duty to perform on the subject. The Constitution of the United States (which is included) and all treaties and laws made and enacted pursuant to that instrument, are the supreme law of the land. The President is sworn to uphold the Constitution and such treaties and laws.

Our treaty of peace was made with Spain, and the treaty must be upheld by the President until the Congress determines what disposition shall be made of the territory acquired thereby, and the President has absolutely no legal right to dispose of these possessions of the nation, or to grant any governmental powers or authority not subject to that treaty and the sovereignty of the United States, to Goldenrod or Silver-whistle Aguinaldo or any other person or persons whatsoever. Moreover, if we should ever abandon the Philippines, or any portion of them, we will do so in a peaceful, regular and orderly way, because, as Gen. U. S. Grant said, the same was an authority on the subject) the American people are so much in favor of peace that they are always ready to fight for it. EX-SOLDIER.

## An Historic Analogy.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 11.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Prof. T. L. Heaton's unpatriotic and ill-timed declaration at Santa Barbara, "that if he (Heaton) were a Filipino he would not lay down his arms while foreign troops remained in the Philippines," etc., etc., has an unfortunate and fatal precedent contained in a speech in the United States Senate during the war waged by the United States against Mexico, by one of its most brilliant members, Thomas Corwin, who was opposed to the war. "If I were a Mexican," as I am an American, I would welcome the invaders with bloody hands to inhuman graves." The American people promptly and resolutely repudiated the sentiment, and the man who uttered it, silver-tongued as he was, and illustrious as he had been, Prof. Heaton and all who think as he does, should profit by the example.

Though Corwin attempted to rise again by the magic of his oratory and the former prestige of his fame, his efforts were as futile, sad and pitiable as those of a broken-winged eagle to regain his native eyrie. J. W. A.

## A Unique Message from the Mountains.

KRAMER, Oct. 10, 1899.—[To The Times:] You ought to send a correspondent up to the Borderland of Wonder Monger. Here man can be found in the condition he was prior to the time he was in the primitive state. He ranges as far as the Colorado River, and occasional glimpses can be seen of him as far as Albuquerque. Let one of the boys come up some idle, hollow day and oblige yours. A. E. FERRIS, Pumper, Hinkley and Rodriguez.

## PERSONAL.

Albert L. Milburn, a member of the police department of Jersey City, N. J., is in the city on a vacation trip. Police Sergeant W. T. Jeffries returned from his vacation yesterday, and is once more in charge of the night watch.

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The plates that I make testify to the value of eye and hand training gained in years of active experience in plate making. Perfect results assured—and at little price.  
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We have been specially careful this season in selecting choice styles in our 50c dress goods. We have succeeded in obtaining some extra good values and some very choice weaves and colors. The variety is almost unlimited and is only another evidence of the supremacy of our dress goods stock.

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Notwithstanding the rain the great Neckwear Sale yesterday drew another crowd. No such values were ever offered in this city, and everyone is taking advantage of it. All shapes for Men and Women. Rich, beautiful Silks—Ties that usually sell at 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Your choice of any at 25c.

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**Quick Meal Blue Flame and Gasoline Cook Stoves** Are the Best.  
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## SEWERS A MENACE.

### HEALTH ENDANGERED BY INEFFICIENT FLUSH TANKS.

A Number of Reasons Assigned by Public Officials for the Conditions That Now Exist. Fire Commission.

Beckie Burkhardt Gets Judgment Against a Money Lender Who Made a Trade for Her Furniture.

Robinson's Estate-Neuman Had a Chance-Legality of Wright Irrigation Law, Attacked in Supreme Court.

During the last few days many complaints have been made regarding the sewers, and the fault is supposed to lie largely in poor flush tanks and inefficient methods of flushing. Health Officer Powers has become alarmed at the conditions existing at the city Monday session of the Council warned the members of that body that unless something was done to rectify the present evil, the sewers would prove a serious menace to the health of the city. The statements of Street Superintendent Drain and City Engineer Olmsted show that a large per cent. of the flush tanks of the city, especially those of the Miller and the Van Vranken makes, are out of order. These tanks are supposed to work automatically, but some of them do not work by hand, and owing to the scarcity of water, quite a force of men would be required to properly attend to flushing the sewers. Poor ventilation is also criticised by the Health Officer, who does not believe it right that the manholes in some sections should be closed, and people in other parts of the city obliged to suffer the consequences.

The session of the Fire Commission yesterday was mainly devoted to the transaction of routine business. The Chief reported a number of promotions, which were approved, and the commission adjourned to visit some of the fire apparatus that is being repaired.

Beckie Burkhardt, who charged a money-lender with swindling her out of a lot of lodging-house furniture two years ago, was given judgment for \$175 by Judge Fitzgerald yesterday.

The Public Administrator is suing Anna Seekatz for money alleged to have been given her in trust at the death of an old man named Robinson. She answers by saying that the money was given her for services rendered. The amount involved is \$350.

It was proved yesterday that Adolph Neuman, charged with arson, who set forth last Monday in Department One that he had not been given a fair chance at his preliminary examination in City Justice Morgan's court, was mistaken, and that he had every opportunity a liberal one.

## INADEQUATE FLUSHING.

### DEFECTIVE TANKS MAKE SEWERS DANGEROUS TO HEALTH.

Health Officer Has Asked the Council to Investigate—Very Unsatisfactory Conditions Brought to Light—Fire Commission Transacts Routine Business.

For several months, little has been said in a general way about the condition of the sewers in the city. Many individual complaints about improper ventilation and sewer gas have been registered at the Street Superintendent's office, but until the last few days there have been no signs of a general agitation for an improvement in the existing conditions. The well-known fact that the sewers are inadequately flushed, has, however, at last begun to interest alike both citizens and city officials, and the question promises to become a real live issue within the next few weeks, unless some active measures are at once taken to provide a remedy for the existing evil.

It has been known for a long time that the flush tanks in the city were not giving proper work, and were not doing proper work, but little thought has been given the matter by the authorities, and the situation has been philosophically taken as one of the necessary evils to which a municipality is heir. Some few officials, however, their Health Officer Powers, have viewed the conditions with alarm. The large number of cases recently reported seemed to indicate that all was not well, and at the Monday session of the Council Dr. Powers presented a communication calling the attention of the Councilmen to the danger.

The report was brief, and merely stated the fact that the present methods of flushing the sewers were not in accord with good sanitary conditions, and that there was great danger to the welfare of the people from the source. Dr. Powers has not altered his mind on the point in the least. Yesterday he said:

"I believe that the present state of the sewers, owing to imprisoned gases and inadequate flushing, is a dangerous menace to the health of the city. The flush tanks are supposed to work automatically, and if they really did so, the water could be left running and the sewers would be flushed several times every day. As it is, a man has to go to each tank every time the sewer is flushed, and as there are not nearly enough employees to attend to the 600 tanks under the present conditions, the sewers are not flushed as they should be. Then in many parts of the city the manholes are hermetically sealed, imprisoning the foul odors and making it necessary for the gas to traverse the sewer until an express is found. This practice is one that wherever an outlet is given, sewer gas makes a decided nuisance. Two things are needed: the first is better and more frequent flushing, and the second is more open ventilation."

Superintendent Drain of the street department explained to the Council on Monday that one reason why so much complaint had been made during the last few days, was that in accordance with the orders of the Council, he had laid off three men employed in flushing the sewers, the last inst. This made it impossible to properly attend to the tanks as long as so many of them were not in good working order. The Superintendent is not disposed to take kindly to any criticism of the

department in this particular, because the force at his disposal is not large enough to flush the sewers with the tanks in their present condition and the efforts of the representatives of the Miller and Van Vranken tanks to keep them in repair, as such, at the time these makes were put in, has so far resulted in no betterment of the state of affairs.

"In a half hour's ride from the City Hall," said Superintendent Drain yesterday, "I can take anyone to twenty or thirty tanks that are out of order. It isn't necessary to go out into the country and to the head of blind sewers in order to find them, but the right on our main streets, the Miller and the Van Vranken tanks are the worst and give us the greatest trouble. The Walker tanks have always worked well, and there are none of them out of order so far as I know. I have no patience with those who try to plead extenuating circumstances. The Miller tank is manufactured by a Chicago firm and has never given satisfaction here. The representatives of the company who come around and try to fix the apparatus, but it is seldom in any better shape after this process has been gone through with it before. The Walker tank is manufactured in Los Angeles, the inventor lives here and gives his personal supervision to the tanks that have been put in, and as a result there has never been any complaint made about them. I believe that when a tank fails to do good service it should come out and be replaced by one that can stand on its merits given the preference."

Report on file in the Superintendent's office giving the location and the condition of each tank in the city last April, shows a surprising number of them have been out of order, and the department reports that the conditions are fully as bad today. Of the 388 Miller tanks reported, 169 were out of order and 219 were in good shape. Of the 59 Van Vranken tanks, 54 displayed some disability, and 16 out of 31 Field's Warning tanks reported out of order. Of the 73 Walker tanks were all reported in good shape, and as giving satisfaction in every particular. The only three mentioned as being unserviceable have never been connected with the water mains.

City Engineer Olmsted has prepared a report on the condition of the flush tanks, suggesting ways in which they could be made more serviceable. It is pointed out that if the siphons can be made to work and some device can be applied so that the sediment in suspension in the water will not clog the pipes and stop the flow, one man could easily do the work for which six are now employed, and bring better results. Edgar T. Wheeler, who was detailed to the sewer department, says that the brass disc with a hole in the center just large enough to allow the proper sized stream of water to pass. The Council will be asked on Monday to test this contrivance. The engineer estimates the cost of putting the tanks in good condition at \$4880, and under the repaired system the cost is estimated at \$762. This estimate, if correct, would mean a saving of \$3268.

Engineer Olmsted also indorsed the Walker tank, but said that he did not favor giving the entire field to any one company, lest they should try to take advantage of their favored position. "Some change in the present condition of the sewers is badly needed at the present time," said he, "but the city must be very careful that the changes better and do not injure the system."

One of the great drawbacks to proper flushing is an insufficient supply of water. Superintendent Drain says that when the water is allowed to flow continuously into the tanks, people in the vicinity complain of thumping in the water pipes. This is said to be caused by lack of pressure, and is known as the "water hammer" effect. It is a fact that no provision was made in the original contract of 1868 between the city and the water company for flushing the sewers, and at last began to be over-eager with water for this purpose. One man on a bicycle has been constantly employed by the water company to pump water into the tanks, and see that the water was turned off.

The whole question of sewers and proper means of ventilating and flushing them will probably come up in the Council next Monday in connection with the new plumbing ordinance, and the report of Health Officer Powers.

## FIRE COMMISSION.

### Routine Business Transacted—Lot of Promotions Reported.

The session of the Fire Commission yesterday was short, and comparatively little business was transacted. New brands of hose are constantly being brought to the attention of the board by agents who hope to secure at least a part of the big contract to supply the city with 15,000 feet of fire hose. The bids will be opened on the 30th inst. and many proposals are expected to be made by representatives of the different companies to have tests made of their samples. The test given the "Key Brand" brand of hose did not prove satisfactory, and in the opinion of the commissioners no trial can be given hose that will conclusively prove its merits for standing the wear and tear of the department. In view of this fact, it is not likely that any more tests will be made before the bids are opened.

W. H. Clark sent in samples of the "Salamander" and other brands of woven and knit hose, which were shown to the commission yesterday. Clark only asked that he be awarded 3000 feet of the contract. This amount of hose he offered to supply the department at \$1.00 per foot. The price depending upon whether the woven or the knit hose was chosen. He sent word to the commission that if he was able to obtain the contract for supplying this amount, he would take the very next train from Arizona to Los Angeles. The members of the board smiled kindly at this offer on the part of the agent, and instructed the clerk to forward Mr. Clark a copy of the printed specifications asking for bids.

The petition of the Southern California Crematory Society for permission to place a five-horse power boiler in the Box Springs Mountains, remote from the city, was granted on the recommendation of the Chief.

The applications of George E. Hart and George W. Olmsted to be appointed Chief of the fire department were referred to the Council. The Chief reported three alarms of fire for the week. The only one of serious consequence was that at Sixth and Hope streets, which destroyed the coal and wood yard of W. B. Strother, entailing a loss of \$1500.

Amoskeng engine, No. 3, was reported as having been thoroughly hauled and put back in the service, and Amoskeng engine, No. 3, as now undergoing repairs. A woman who had rented her house to Conant complained that he had used abusive and profane language in his dealings with her, and had further refused to pay a bill of \$12.35 which she held against him. The house in question is situated at No. 1132 East Pico street, and the woman claimed Conant had the use of it from April 17 to September 1. He broke some of the windows and otherwise damaged the property, she stated, and when remonstrated with told her in language more forceful than polite that when he

rented a house, he rented the wear and tear. The matter was referred to the Chief for investigation and report.

The following promotions were reported by the Chief, Martin Brodat, from hoseman on engine No. 4 to permanent fireman, assigned to engine No. 4; George W. Bright, from callman to hoseman, assigned to engine No. 3; George W. Vall, from callman to hoseman, assigned to engine No. 3; Clarence Rogers, from callman to ladderman, assigned to engine No. 3; A. H. Moore, from callman to ladderman, assigned to engine No. 3; W. H. Bryden, from callman to hoseman, assigned to engine No. 4; permanent fireman, A. J. Springer, transferred from chemical engine No. 4 to chemical engine No. 2.

The resignation of F. B. Smith, a callman, was accepted. Chief Moore reported that he had dropped from the pay roll of the department the name of George W. Olpherts, against whom a bill for liquors was presented at the last meeting of the commission.

## OUTLAW SEWER LINING.

The outlaw sewer lining has been giving the authorities a great deal of concern lately, as it has begun to corrode and crumble. Yesterday Engineer Olmsted, accompanied by City Engineer and S. O. Wood, went to Ingleside to try a composition belonging to the last-named gentleman, which it is hoped will prove impregnable to sewer gases. The preparation adheres readily to the brick surface of the sewer lining, and should it prove to have the qualities claimed for it, the interior of the sewer may be coated with it some future time. The material is of a slate color and contains silica and other compounds of sulphur. Three small sections of the lining were treated with the preparation yesterday, and the effect of the gases on the substance will be closely watched. Engineer Olmsted said last night that it would require a long time, possibly three years, to determine the real value of the composition, as that length of time elapsed before the corrosion of the lining of the sewer became evident.

As a result of the suit brought in the United States Circuit Court yesterday by Amos S. Kimball of New York, United States Deputy Marshal McCulloch yesterday served more papers on Mayor Eaton, Treasurer Hart, Collector Whitely, and the members of the City Council.

## Treasurer's Statement.

The treasurer's statement for the month of September, which shows the amount of money on hand at the close of business on September 30 was \$230,586.33. The money on hand to meet the demands on the funds was \$261,971.58, and the amount to pay the bills was \$261,971.58. The money on hand to meet the demands on the funds was \$261,971.58, and the amount to pay the bills was \$261,971.58.

For the first time since the taxes began to come in, the amount of \$10,000 will be made today. Several times an appropriation of \$5000 has been declared, but it was not until yesterday that the taxes mounted up to enough to pay the bills. The tax collection at one time. The tax collections for the month amounted to about \$2300 on real property and \$700 on the excess personal property tax.

## Street Grading Accepted.

The grading on Griffith avenue between Fourteenth street and Washington, was accepted yesterday by the Street Superintendent. P. A. Howard was the contractor who did the work.

## Petitions for Fence.

George Armistage, who lives on Pritchard street, yesterday filed a petition to the Council praying that the Health Officer be requested to issue an order for a fence to be built along a sewer from Downey avenue to a connection with the city sewer system.

## [AT THE COURTHOUSE.]

### BAD LAND SECURITY.

#### BECKIE BURKHART TRADED FURNITURE FOR WORTHLESS NOTE.

She Relines the Representations of A. Runels, Minnie Runels, Loren Merchan and Charles Christensen, in Judge Fitzgerald's court yesterday, asking that a certain contract be rescinded and for the recovery of \$500. The suit was based on a lot of allegations of fraud and misrepresentation.

The trouble began in April, 1897, and since then there have been scenes here and there over Southern California. To begin with, Miss Burkhardt was owner of the furniture and furnishings of a lodging-house at Nos. 413-415, Crescent avenue, known as the "Everett." On April 14, two years ago, Runels, approached her with a proposal to purchase her furniture and other lodging materials, which she considered worth about \$200. He offered in exchange an undivided one-half interest in a promissory note, alleged to be secured by a mortgage on property in Riverside county, owned by Christensen.

This property, it was alleged, Runels described as a twenty-acre tract, three miles from Redlands, and of a high level, improved fruit land of great fertility and value, which he had sold to his brother-in-law, \$10,000. To further throw Miss Burkhardt off her guard, he avers, Runels handed her his business card, which stated that he was a money lender, and he told her that his business standing was everywhere known to be the best. He then informed her that he was agent for Minnie Runels, who had loaned Christensen the \$350 and held his note and mortgage.

Runels' clinching argument, according to the complaint, was that Easton, Eldridge & Co. made loans and held mortgages on lands adjoining the Christensen property in Riverside county, all of which vouched for its value.

Finally, Miss Burkhardt concluded to accept the alluring offer, signed a contract, and Runels delivered to her the furniture. The note she was to receive, however, she says, was never in her possession.

Some time after the deal was concluded, she felt a hankering to know something more about the Riverside property she was interested in, and sent her father, a well-known banker at Redlands, to make a look at it. But when he returned, it was with a very mouth. He informed his daughter that the property was up in the Box Springs Mountains, remote from Redlands, and that it was simply a barren, rocky cliff, deeply cut by ravines.

By this time Miss Burkhardt was convinced that Runels had fraudulently misrepresented everything to her, and that all his statements were maliciously false. On November 1, 1897, she filed her suit. She also alleged that Christensen was induced by the others to execute the note without consideration.

A motion for non-suit as to defend-

ants Mershon and Christensen was denied, and judgment ordered by the court in favor of Miss Burkhardt, in \$175, with interest at 7 per cent. from date of sale in April, 1897.

## HAD A FAIR CHANCE.

### Court So Holds in Regard to Neuman's Preliminary.

Adolph Neuman, charged with arson, who made some sensational statements last Monday morning, when arraigned in Department One, before City Justice Morgan, has had a fair chance, nor informed of all his legal rights, at his preliminary examination in City Justice Morgan's court, appeared again before Judge Smith yesterday morning in Department One.

Comas read transcripts of the docket of the lower court and affidavits from Justice Morgan and Deputy District Attorney Chambers, all showing clearly that Neuman had been familiarized with his privileges in court under charge, and that he was mistaken when he thought otherwise. His counsel, F. W. Allender, Esq., contended that defendant had not, however, been informed of the legal rights at the proper time, and cited the transcript of this testimony to prove his point. But Judge Smith fell back on the affidavits of the District Attorney and overruled counsel's motion to set aside the information against Neuman. Allender then interposed a demurrer to the information on technical grounds, and the demurrer was sustained on the one ground that it was not properly drawn. The court granted Neuman the opportunity to file a new information, the old one being faulty on account of a stenographer's error in writing the word "attempt" for "intention."

Neuman is charged of setting fire to the residence of Mrs. A. Richardson on September 2. He lived on the premises at the time, and it is alleged he done the arson act in the night time.

## THOSE GREAT REGISTERS.

### Janitor Sparks's Disposal of Them Rather Expensive to County.

The Supervisors have made an investigation into the colossal blunder committed some days ago by W. E. Sparks, a colored janitor, who sold seven tons of great registers for \$250. The purchaser was Horatio Marteen, a cleaner and dyer on Santa Fernando street, who shipped them to O'Neill Bros. & Callaghan, paper makers, San Francisco.

The board has taken no final action in the matter, although all the workmen about the Courthouse were put under oath to tell of the disposition of all the trucks about the building for months past. It appears that this is the first instance that anything has been disposed of by sale.

Word has been received that the registers which were sold to Marteen, Clerk Bell just prevented from being dumped into the pulp vats, are now en route to this city. They fill half a room in the City of Angels, and take no further action until the books arrive, when the expense of their transportation must be considered. It is thought that the cost of \$1000, which hardly covers costs for Sparks's brilliant idea of getting rid of stuff that he thought had been condemned and was worthless. Unanimous opinion, however, holds that the colored man had no criminal intent in the affair, and was thoughtless rather than anything else.

## SUPREME COURT.

### Constitutionality of the Wright Act Argued Yesterday.

Upon motion of Charles Udell, Esq., and presentation of a license from the Supreme Court, the constitutionality of the Wright act was admitted to practice in the courts of the State; as were also Frank K. Biggs of Illinois, on motion of George Fuller, Esq.; D. L. Dunaway of Illinois, on motion of W. T. Williams, Esq., and F. E. Cross of Minnesota, on motion of C. L. Batcheller, Esq. from North Dakota.

The suit of Byrne et al. vs. Drain, involving the matter of street opening in the City of Los Angeles, was argued by John W. Mitchell, Esq., for plaintiffs, and Charles A. Hays, Esq., for the Street Superintendent, and submitted.

The forenoon yesterday was spent in hearing the arguments relative to the organization of the Linda Vista irrigation district of San Diego county. Atty-Gen. Ford brings the suit. The constitutionality of the Wright act, which is irrigation gospel in many parts of California, is involved in the case. The Attorney General, George Fuller, Esq., argued against the Linda Vista district, while C. C. Wright, Esq., father of the act, and George J. Smith, Esq., and J. L. Stearns, Esq., presented the side of the organization. The case was submitted on briefs to the court, and the organization of the Linda Vista district was contended on two principal grounds: first, that the law unjustly discriminates between large and small districts; second, that the Supreme Court has held that a city can be lawfully included in an irrigation district without the right to petition for its exclusion. If the Supreme Court should hold that these contentions are correct, it would mean the setting aside of every irrigation district in the State.

## ROBINSON'S SCANT ESTATE.

### Public Administrator and a Nurse at Law Over the Leavings.

A jury was selected in Department Three yesterday morning to try the case of Public Administrator Kellogg, who is administrator of the estate of late Edwin Robinson, against Alice Seekatz. This suit is to declare that certain money and personal property held by defendant was given her in trust for the benefit of the heirs of the estate.

Robinson died February 11, 1898. A short time before his passing and while in contemplation of death, he gave Mrs. Seekatz \$350 in money, and he agreed with him, it is claimed, to deliver the same to his heirs or administrators. Undelivered money, it is claimed, was given to Mrs. Seekatz by the money lender, and he, therefore, asks the court for an accounting, an injunction, a decree of trust and a receiver.

As a defense Mrs. Seekatz answers with a general denial, specifically denying all allegations of misappropriation and misuse of the money in her hands. And, further answering, she says that Robinson employed her to attend his wife in her last illness, and thereafter procured her services as his nurse. Undelivered money, it is claimed, was given to Mrs. Seekatz by the money lender, and he, therefore, asks the court for an accounting, an injunction, a decree of trust and a receiver.

The Homo-Alo System For the treatment of disease of every nature, as practiced by the Associated Physicians of the Homo-Alo Medical Institute, 245 S. Spring St., embraces every feature of all other systems which has proven worthy of retention while discarding many of the objectionable features. These learned physicians have perfected this system to the point where they can combat disease with unusual success. Nor is this all; the entire charge for scientific and exact examination, with the medicine necessary for treatment, is but 50 cents. Here, then, you have the assurance of the best possible services, while secure in the knowledge that the cost will be merely nominal.

ant had been added, court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

## MISCELLANEOUS, Legal and Other Items.

FOR FORECLOSURE. M. Goldwater is suing G. F. Smith to recover \$739 due on a promissory note, secured by a mortgage on a wheat and hay crop, which defendant has already harvested. Plaintiff has demanded the crops, under the terms of the mortgage, but defendant is alleged to be unwilling to deliver same, said to be worth \$400. The premises where the crops now are belong to defendant, but it is alleged they are incumbered for more than their value, and defendant is insolvent.

FOR AN ACCOUNTING. Nine Kletter began suit yesterday against Robert Marsh for an accounting in the sum of \$1250. They agreed to pool their forty-eight shares of stock in the Parry Shirt Company and fixed a minimum price of \$4000, with the understanding that each should share equally in the sale at any price above the fixed amount. This agreement was signed in April, 1898. On May 15, 1898, Marsh sold the pooled stock of sixty shares to Edgar R. McKnight for \$5000, but it is alleged, he informed plaintiff that he could sell her stock for only \$2500, when he had already sold it for \$5000, and it is alleged he refused to close the deal. The woman now sues for the \$1250 difference.

PETITION FOR LETTERS. James H. Boney asks to be appointed administrator of the \$2500 estate of his mother, Eliza J. Chapman, consisting of Los Angeles real estate.

INSANE. August Brandon was adjudged insane by Judge Smith, sitting in Department Two, yesterday, and ordered committed to the State Hospital at Highland, on recommendation of Dr. E. N. Mathis and Dr. E. R. Smith. Brandon imagines that he has no stomach, and refuses to eat. The fear of execution also hangs over him.

## DIVORCED.

Mrs. S. Price was granted a divorce yesterday from her husband by Judge Fitzgerald, on the ground of adultery.

## INCORPORATION.

The Copper Key Mining Company filed articles of incorporation yesterday, with place of business at Los Angeles. Capital stock is \$50,000, of which \$20,000 is subscribed. The directors are Will H. Baker, T. H. Smith, B. F. Groves, C. D. Harkrader and Edward L. Hutchison.

## RUSKIN ART CLUB.

### Study on Sculpture of Marble—A Gift to the Club.

The attendance at the regular weekly meeting of the Ruskin Art Club, held in Blanchard Hall yesterday morning, was very large, and the subject discussed was "Greek Sculpture." The meeting was called to order by Mrs. C. C. Hubbard, president, who made a few opening remarks about the lesson.

Mrs. John Wigmore presented to the club, through the president, a dainty gift, consisting of a bottle of Mt. Hymettus. The bottle was tied with white and blue ribbons, the Greek national colors, and the reverse side of the card, accompanying the gift, was an appropriate verse from Milton.

Mrs. J. O. Koepfl and Mrs. D. C. Barber had charge of the lesson, and different topics were commented upon. Mrs. Witherspoon made an interesting talk on the casting of bronze, and sculptures of marble, the inlaying of gold and ivory upon a wooden kernel, dating from the beginning of the sixth century.

## A YOUTHFUL TRAVELER.

### Master Fred Dewey, Aged Twelve, Pilots a Party of Four.

It is not a very cheap of the tender age of 12 who can pilot a party of four from the Pacific Coast to Chicago, and it is because Master Fred Dewey can do it with all the ease and nonchalance of an old-time traveler that he is entitled to distinction. Like his distinguished namesake, he has a cool head and a quick judgment. When he sauntered up to the desk at the Westminster Hotel Tuesday morning, his eyes just reached the top of the marble counter. There was nothing of embarrassment either in manner or tone as he said:

"I would like accommodations for a party of four, please."

The clerk looked at the youngster in surprise, and was at first inclined to smile, but the little man in front of him was all seriousness and he turned the big book around and tipped it so that the guest could register. In a childish scrawl he inscribed the names "Fred Dewey," "Evelyn Dewey," Chicago.

He preferred the European plan, because he expected to leave early in the morning. He was particularly anxious that the baby and nurse be comfortably housed, and gave orders for the baby's food during their stay. In the morning he paid his bill, arranged for his baggage and left for the East.

## Delmonico's Chef Dead.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Charles Raubhofer, is twenty years chef at Delmonico's, for twelve years he was the chef at the Ritz Hotel, where 30 years old, having already won fame in France as a cook.

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## STAND TOGETHER FOR NATIONAL IRRIGATION.

THE gentlemen who are working up the scheme to issue State irrigation bonds seem determined to leave no stone unturned to create wrong impressions as to the movement for the inauguration of a national policy for the building of Federal storage reservoirs and the reclamation of the whole arid region as advocated by the National Irrigation Congress.

At the meeting held by those who are promoting the State movement at San Francisco on September 16, John P. Irish is reported in the Chronicle to have said "that he thought the national system impracticable and chimerical, to which others assented."

The movement for Federal storage reservoirs is championed and led by Senators Warren and Carter, who have the most absolute confidence of success, and Senator Carter declared in his address before the irrigation congress at Missouri that it only needed a United West to compel success.

In his address at Miles City before the stock-growers' convention in April last Senator Carter showed that the Senate voted in favor of the policy; but "in the House of Representatives the friends of the measure were not organized for the fight," and "the Senate receded rather than force an extra session of Congress," but "consideration was merely postponed, and we are now called upon to consult and unite every element interested directly or indirectly in the success of the movement to the end that this great trans-Mississippi country may speak as one man in Congress on this subject."

And then Senator Carter went on in this address to show that in the last ten years there had been a complete change of conditions in relation to this subject, and that though ten years ago it was not, as he believed, feasible, it was entirely different today.

Now, who is more likely to be a safe guide in this matter? Senator Carter, who has a seat in the Senate, and speaks from knowledge gained there, or Mr. Irish, who is an officer of the revenue service in San Francisco? Whose lead will the people of California follow?

Again Mr. Irish says: "As long as farmers east of the Rocky Mountains sell their crops for less than the cost of production they will oppose any effort to increase the area of cultivated lands."

Mr. Irish would have some difficulty in finding an eastern farmer who is now selling his products for less than cost of production. The eastern farmers were never more prosperous. Senator Carter in his address showed clearly why the situation has entirely changed, so far as the eastern farmer is concerned, and whatever opposition there now is from the eastern farmer is an echo of the past and comes from those who have not kept pace with events or who are ignorant of present conditions.

It is a most noticeable and encouraging feature of this progress of thought among leading men of broad intelligence in the East who have studied the subjects, that they realize that the great national benefits which would come to the people of the whole country from the reclamation and settlement of the arid region, must be returned to the benefit of the eastern farmer.

While Mr. Irish advises us to retire from the national movement without an effort, because of the opposition of the eastern farmer, the Orange Judd Farmer, published by Herbert M. York, a man known all over the country as an able champion of the inter-

ests of the eastern farmer, speaking of the Missouri Irrigation Congress, says editorially:

"Let it proclaim in stentorian tones: Annex arid America; create an inland empire out of the now arid West. . . . Orange Judd Farmer fully sympathizes with the high purpose and desires of the enterprising arid West, and looks to the irrigation congress to unite all these interests in an irresistible movement for the general welfare. In this purpose is indissolubly bound up the future good, not only of the arid West, but of the whole country."

And the Farmers' Voice of Chicago, one of the leading agricultural journals of the central prairie region, edited by W. H. Burke, who has given the subject careful thought and frequent editorial comment, says, in August last:

"Concerning the duty of the government to act in the matter of storage reservoirs there can be no doubt. . . . Now, again, will the people of California throw away this support which is now coming to them from such leading agricultural journals as these, and follow the lead of Mr. Irish into a mire of debt under State bonds, with all the possibilities of corruption and plunder to which their issuance would open the way, or will they stand by the National Irrigation Congress and extend to it their strong and united support?"

There must be something more than a coincidence in the fact that whenever the State scheme is advocated, the effort is made to throw cold water on the national movement. On September 25 last, one of the San Francisco evening journals, in an editorial, declared, "That the Federal government will never undertake this work at the cost of its treasury, goes without saying." And then proceeds to argue that because the West is in a minority in Congress, the national movement will never succeed, and made this additional statement:

"The Senate is composed of ninety Senators, and when the Senators from the arid States are subtracted, we have seventy Senators, whose constituents would naturally oppose the inauguration of the policy as against twenty Senators, whose constituents might reasonably be expected to favor it. The measure, then, would have twenty affirmative votes in the Senate and seventy negative votes, by a natural division of interest."

These deductions, so seriously drawn, would be wholly amusing, were it not that they mislead.

The writer was evidently not aware that the last Senate, by an overwhelming majority actually did vote to appropriate \$100,000 to build reservoirs in Wyoming, which have already been surveyed by the War Department under an appropriation actually made by Congress, and to further appropriate \$50,000 to survey new sites in every arid or semi-arid State, which includes California, and the appropriation failed, as Senator Carter said in his address, only because the friends of the measure were not organized in the House. In fact, no effort had been made to organize them. It will be made in the next session of Congress.

But in the face of these facts, the author of the editorial says further: "Whoever supposes that a measure of this kind is practicable, or that legislation on its behalf must be secured, has not mastered the primitive problems of controlling the forces which may be depended upon to secure legislation at the hands of the National Congress."

Such old-time Senators as Mr. Warren or Mr. Carter would probably be somewhat amused at this sage advice, and feel disposed to suggest to its author that possibly they had had as much experience at mastering these "primitive problems" as he had.

They would probably suggest to him a few facts he evidently had not thought of. For instance, that five-sixths of the population of the United States east of the arid region, and they own a five-sixths share of about three-fourths of the entire area of the United States west of the ninety-eighth meridian, including half of California, the same being public land, and they propose to preserve, protect, improve and open it for settlement for those who are ready to swarm out of the eastern hive. They don't quite agree with the self-centered westerner, who imagines he owns the earth in every western State. The people of the East favor the reclamation of this vast arid region because they are the owners of the largest share in it; because it will open up opportunities on a gigantic scale for men from the East, who will go west and settle upon the land to create a new empire in arid America, and build up a teeming population to make new home markets for our iron manufactures. Whoever assumes to-day that the storage of the flood waters in the West is not one that interests the East, needs to hitch himself up a little nearer to the head of the procession. He has fallen behind.

But the unfortunate fact remains that the State-bonding scheme in California seems to be engineered by the modern line of thought on this subject and who are determined to promulgate their antiquated theories to aid in getting the State movement under way.

Another San Francisco journal, only a few days later, published practically the same editorial, worded a little differently, but urging the same arguments and apparently written by the same hand, indicating the existence of a "literary bureau" somewhere in San Francisco, established and kept up by extraneous aid for the sake of "working the press" of the Coast. (This California Press Association appears to have been coolly taken possession of by the manager of this San Francisco "literary bureau.") It is rather a singular fact, and one difficult to understand, that the promoters of the State scheme seem to start out with the idea that the first thing necessary to be done is to kill off the national movement. There is not the slightest reason for this, if those interested in the State movement have no ulterior purpose to serve by it. They are making a grave mistake. The national movement has strong support all over the United States. It will go on with its work and will eventually succeed, even though California should secede from it. The defection of this State would of course retard the national movement, but those who are promoting the State movement must realize that the national movement is too strongly rooted to be killed off by this local movement. If persisted in, this policy of the promoters of the State movement will result in arraying California again into two contending factions, one favoring the State and the other the national movement. What will the result be? Such a controversy might weaken the national movement, but it would be sure to result in the defeat of the State movement. The task of convincing the people of California as a whole that the State should issue millions of dollars of bonds for irrigation is no easy task, and in the face of any organized opposition is sure to fail. The interests in the irrigation districts are too recent and widespread not to have made the people very cautious about bond issues.

There are no doubt places in California such as Porterville, Redlands, San Diego, and probably others, where the State might build reservoirs to advantage, because there is a present demand for the water, but for California to assume the huge task of storing all her flood waters and rejecting or retarding a movement for Federal reservoirs which has every prospect of success is entirely another question. If we are to have a movement for State reservoirs it should be entirely subordinated to and harmonized with the national movement.

Los Angeles city has an interest in the subject on a broader scale than any State movement can reach. The reclamation and settlement of the millions upon millions of acres of fertile arid land east of the mountains in California and Arizona, New Mexico, Southern Nevada and Utah, is only possible through the national movement. All this vast territory, when reclaimed and settled, will be tributary to Los Angeles, which the products of this new inland empire will find its outlet to the Orient, and to the vast trade of the Pacific Ocean.

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Harry Miller, a night waiter at the Saddle Rock restaurant, had planned to go to San Francisco yesterday, but his departure was delayed through the stern interference of the law. John Brink, proprietor of the Saddle Rock, was prepared to worry along without Miller's valuable services in the future, but the night cook, Pat Mathews, objected to Miller's sudden departure. The reason for Pat's objection was his affection for a bulldog revolver of the value of \$25, which he swore out a warrant for the night waiter on the charge of petty larceny. Miller was found guilty when arraigned in the Police Court yesterday and was given a sentence of six or fifteen days. His departure for San Francisco has been postponed accordingly.

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## BUSINESS.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

## OFFICE OF THE TIMES.

Los Angeles, Oct. 11, 1899.

**MONEY DEARER.** The great industrial activity prevailing all over the world has made an active demand for money. The value of money has risen on this account, and the value of securities, which usually do not change much, has shrunk, as the following table, giving values at the close of last year and now, will show:

	Dec. 31, '98.	Latest Date.
British consols	111.50	106.50
French 3 per cent. bonds	101.50	99.50
Belgian 3 per cent. bonds	101.50	99.50
Swiss 3 per cent. bonds	101.50	99.50
Spanish 3 per cent. bonds	101.50	99.50
Italian 3 per cent. bonds	101.50	99.50
Swedish 3 per cent. bonds	101.50	99.50

**COST OF CANS.** Since this time last year the cost of two and a half to three-pound cans, such as vegetables and fruits are packed in, has risen fully 15 cents per dozen, which must be added to the net cost of canned goods.

**ROLLED OATS UP.** An advance in rolled oats at the East equal to 15 cents per barrel, or 10 cents per bushel, on package goods, is reported from the East, owing to a rise in the price of raw oats.

**BUTTER EXPORTS.** The exports of butter in August were 5,000,000 pounds greater than in that month of last year. This is likely to hold the winter butter market firm.

**CANNED SWEET POTATOES.** According to reports from Baltimore packers, says the Grocery World, the canned sweet potato has been in demand in the canning industry, and for some time the object of much doubt, is actually acquiring a prominent place among other products of the packing-house. The demand is said to be constantly and rapidly increasing, particularly at home, while the call from foreign markets, especially Germany, principally, is gradually growing. At home the western market has been made, and a Boston packer about five years ago. As indicated above, considerable adverse comment was expressed by various packers, but the experiment was continued, with the result that after many little introductory difficulties, a market was found for the product, and it is now being sold by little it finally began to receive favor, till other packers having become a little in favor with the outlook, took the cue, and the demand has become engaged in the enterprise.

**BOTTLED SARDINES.** A New England packer is putting up sardines in glass bottles or jars. The first are carefully selected, perfectly boned, then packed closely in brine, and the bottles are hermetically sealed, and then put in an water bath for more than an hour. After cooking they are packed in cases, and are ready for the market.

**GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.** SEPTEMBER BUSINESS. R. G. Dun & Co.'s monthly review of trade conditions for September in Southern California, says:

No more convincing proof of the country's prosperity could be found than nothing from month to month the record of commercial deaths during the current year. In September the record reached the minimum so far, both in number and liabilities. Distributive trade, of good volume, railroad earnings large, industrial activities undiminished. Demand for iron products continues so great that the capacity of the country is far out to next year. Uncertainty in Transvaal occasioned a slight fluctuation in wheat, but in the main prices were strong, with an upward tendency in all product markets.

In our immediate district satisfactory reports of present conditions are almost universal. In California, wheat is setting in earlier than ever before, and the product is growing too fast and ripening before the producers have time to ship it to eastern markets. There has been such a development in this industry the past two years, it is likely in Orange county to be a money-making and orange industries as a money-maker.

The sugar campaign is still keeping things lively at Orange and Citrus. Alamosa factory closed, after making a five weeks' run. Sugar percentage of beets is high.

Walnuts are turning out well, crop estimated now 450 carloads. Growers will receive \$3.15 per cental for standard and soft shells; \$7.65 for same grade hard shell.

The almond crop is light, but as shortage of French crop has set the price of the foreign nut almost prohibitive to their importation, California must supply American demand. Almonds are jobbing now at 18 cents a pound, about 6 cents higher than normal years.

New crop of olives will be ripe in about two weeks when picking will begin. Crop in southern California is small, about that of last year, when picked out was about 2000 barrels. In cured fruit business is brisk. Prices a shade higher. Figs are increasing in quantities at good values. The raisin season is in full swing, and so great is the demand for raisins that they cannot fill orders. Increased demand for seeded raisins is most marked. The California Raisin Growers' Association makes the following quotations: Muscatel, loose, two crown, 5 1/2 cents; three crown, 6 cents; four crown, 6 1/2 cents.

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bring up to 37 per dozen; ducks \$6 to \$7, and geese \$10 and upward.

The only game on the market were a few quails, which sold at \$2.25 per dozen, and a few cottontails, which brought \$1.50.

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All grades of butter followed the rise in fancy local creamery, and anything good brings 50 to 60 cents.

There is very little doing, light weight or off quality in the market, and what little there is goes slowly at 40 to 50 cents, as to weights and quality.

Creamery out of cold storage sells at 50 to 55 cents for all grades. Eastern bricks are 25 cents, and but 23 for common to 25 for fancy.

Best are reported much firmer at San Francisco. Pinks are firm at the recent decline. An unusual demand is developing for pinks for the eastern market. Limes are very scarce, as the Ventura crop is almost nothing. Old in San Francisco is quoted at \$4.40. They are worth in Ventura \$4.25 in large lots.

Potatoes are decidedly steady at quoted prices.

The walnut crop is said to be pretty well all sold at eastern account, the growers getting a good price, and the crop getting their brokerage and a nice profit besides, and the consumer getting a fine quality of walnuts at up to 15 cents.

Lards, both pure and compound, are up 1/2 cent.

**POULTRY.** Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition, 1 1/2c per lb. for poultry, 1 1/2c for turkeys, 1 1/2c for geese, 1 1/2c for ducks.

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PASADENA.

DOCTORS REVIVING THE AGITATION FOR MORE SEWERS.

To Discuss the Subject at a Special Meeting - Hospital Association Ready to Finance - More Far to Fly Over Simonds.

PASADENA, Oct. 11.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Pasadena Medical Association will meet Friday evening with Drs. Bolton and Jones. The assigned subject is "Digitalis Dosage," but the medicals will also continue the hospital boom, and some progress will be reported. The doctors are pleased with the way the agitation has taken hold of the movement.

Dr. J. H. McBride has invited the physicians to meet at his house next Tuesday evening, to consider another pressing matter. He desires the physicians to take up the cudgels for sewer extension in this city, particularly on the west side. The need of sewers has been fully recognized for a long time, and over a year ago a special election to vote sewer bonds was suggested. Then the waterworks' bubbles began to boil and the consideration of sewers was postponed until after that matter should have been settled. The municipal ownership movement has been allowed to lag, and the sewer agitation is further postponed. It is believed that if the doctors force the issue, they can present the imperative need of more water and more sewers to the citizens in such a forcible and authoritative way that they will be stirred to action.

At the request of the Medical Association, the city board is now drawing an ordinance to prohibit expectation on the sidewalks and in public vehicles.

HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the old Board of Directors of the Pasadena Hospital Association was held this afternoon at the office of A. R. Metcalfe. Messrs. Metcalfe, E. R. Hull, P. M. Green and George F. Kernaghan were present. The old board resigned on at a time, and the following new directors were chosen: H. M. Dobbin, H. H. Klamroth, Miss Anna Bartlett, Mrs. James Swan, Mrs. G. Bennett, E. H. May and W. H. Hughes. The new board organized by electing H. M. Dobbin president, Miss Bartlett, vice-president and P. M. Green, treasurer. Mr. Dobbin and Miss Bartlett were appointed a committee to confer with the owner of the present hospital building and see about renting the same for the use of the hospital. H. H. Klamroth and Mrs. Swan were named as a committee to receive applications for the positions of matron and head nurse, and to see that the hospital as soon as possible, and the directors will let no grass grow under their feet. Applications for membership at all times coming in. The board will meet again next Friday.

IN THE COURTS.

The case of Frank Simonds, who was arrested for disturbing a rally in North Pasadena, postponed to be a legal circuit. He has engaged "Habes Corpus" Ladd as his attorney and the officers have spoken for the Assistant District Attorney to press the case of the people. It is on the cards for Greek to get out of jail. Klamroth's court Thursday, when the antics will begin. Simonds has told Constable Wallis that he shall sue him for false arrest and seek punishment in making it. Wallis declares that he has a card up his sleeve, and if it is necessary, he will not put out any more of his kind. He is charging him with resisting an officer. The sanitary district war will be fought over again before the last of the month. The newest complication in the Hoffman case is a suit of intervention brought by Constable Manahan, seeking to pull the Hoffman case out of the fire for Mrs. Buck.

Thomas Kelley, a tramp with a bad eye, was picked up last night by Constable Manahan and was taken to the city lock-up this morning by the City Recorder.

CONGREGATIONALIST MEETINGS.

The final sessions of the General Congregationalist Association were held today. Rev. J. T. Ford was reflected treasurer and Rev. W. A. Lamb, a historical secretary. In the afternoon Santa Ana reported for the Committee on Sabbath Observance, urging that the churches do more work in this direction. Rev. E. R. Smith, Evangelist Billings and Prof. Nash spoke on "Preaching to win souls." This afternoon Moderator Edwards summarized the reports and the speakers. Edwards drew a picture of a church ideally at work to save souls.

The association adopted resolutions declaring that Big Game Hunting should be expelled from Congress; endorsing the Children's Home Society; pledging the advisory committee to work for the adoption of a law which would exempt churches from taxation; endorsing the Anti-Saloon League, recognizing the valuable services of James T. Ford, for sixteen years a historical secretary, and expressing thanks for hospitalities and courtesies. The meetings have been very animated, heartily enjoyed and ended with a song.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

The sequel to the story of the long-lost brother of Esie M. Chase of this city, who was coming to Pasadena and has not arrived yet, is that while in Chicago he was kicked by a horse and his leg was broken, so it was necessary to postpone his coming.

A genuine surprise party was given to Carl Wachob last evening, the occasion being his nineteenth birthday. Among the many elegant gifts that he received were a gold watch and chain.

A. J. Stephens has taken the contract to construct a fireproof library, to cost \$1200, for William Thum, as an addition to his Columbia-street residence.

Rev. Otto Anderson of the Congregational Church at Sierra Madre, who went on a visit to Iowa this summer, has sent word that he will not return.

Prof. Arthur Chamberlain brought home a large number of lantern slides from the Camera Club at an early day.

Col. H. R. Arnold of San Diego, Grand Chancellor of the California Knights of Pythias, visited Pasadena Lodge last evening and made an address.

Rev. Leonard J. Carver will address the Y.M.C.A. next Sunday afternoon and will subsequently give a course of lectures for the association.

Harry Longden of this city, who is at Dawson with a family, writes that he is earning \$1 a day, but it costs more of that to live.

The new solid brass lectern was put in place in All Saints' Church today. It is in the form of a large angel with outstretched wings.

J. C. Dickson, secretary and treasurer of the Sierra Madre Water Company for twelve years, has resigned.

The University Extension Society will give three courses of six lectures each in Pasadena this winter.

The special sale of new dress goods at cut prices at Jones & Hunt's is a great success, and is still raining.

Big line of ladies' misses' and children's outing flannel gowns at Gardner's.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

EL CAJON MURDERER CROSSES THE MEXICAN LINE.

Chamber of Commerce Protests Against Ratification of the Treaty With Jamaica-Y.M.C.A. Elects Officers-Coronado Notes.

REDONDO.

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CHARLES TEMPLE TELLS POLICE HE WAS ROBBED.

Son of a Pioneer Banker Loses Checks and Money While Out Seeing the Town - Detectives Working on the Case.

SANTA MONICA.

Road to Sawtelle-Chinaman's Farewell Reception-County Division.

SANTA MONICA, Oct. 11.—[Regular Correspondence.] A survey has been started for a 100-foot road from Twenty-seventh street along the line of Oregon avenue, produced to Sawtelle. The road is to run near the electric railway track, and the right-of-way for it is to be donated by the Santa Monica Land and Water Company. The contents of his pockets were missing. Among the articles which were no longer in evidence were a \$20 gold piece, a \$5 bill, a check on the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank drawn by Louis Farmer and indorsed by James Boyce, two checks on the Monrovia Bank drawn in favor of Temple & Zuniga, and one check on the Covina bank in favor of that firm, Temple being one of the partners.

Temple requested the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank to stop payment on the check drawn on it, and went into the country yesterday morning to make similar requests to the other banks.

Detectives are quietly investigating the alleged robbery, but so far as known, they have as yet not succeeded in recovering the money nor have any arrests been made in the case, although the women who are accused of picking Temple's pockets have been interrogated in regard to the matter.

Charles Temple is a son of the pioneer banker of Los Angeles, from whom Temple street and Temple Block received their names.

DEVILS ALL GONE.

Chinese Luck Begins With the End of the Festival.

The Chinese celebration came to an end at an early hour this morning. When King Sing, the god of luck, was cast into the fire and succeeded in the form of smoke to his abiding place among the patron saints of the "heavenly Chinese." His incineration was a happy omen, for it was thought that the possession of the image would bring never-ceasing luck. Other figures of gods and devils were burned, and stood before for several days as a token of the images, was also cast into the flames.

The Chinese god of rain failed to receive proper propitiation on Tuesday night, and as a consequence vented his wrath upon his subjects by giving such a downpour as to make impossible the parade which was scheduled for the yesterday. It was therefore declared off last night, and the great future occasion demands his presence.

Charles Temple's plan to give a banquet to fight for an old rainstorm has risen in the night. In the celebration last night, the Chinese were reminded of a proverb: "Fair weather offends nobody, but inopportune rains make men gloomy," continued the sage, "and as a consequence most of our boys have gone home disappointed at not being able to carry out the programme as announced."

HOMEOPATHS' MEETING.

Their Southern California Medical Society in Session.

The annual meeting of the Southern California Homeopathic Medical Society was held yesterday at the Westminister Hotel, delegates from the attendance from the counties of Orange, Riverside, San Diego, Santa Barbara, Ventura, San Bernardino and Los Angeles. Dr. S. S. Salisbury, president of the society, delivered his annual address during the morning session. He took the position that all contagious diseases are caused by some specific germ, many of which the bacteriologists have discovered. It is only a question of time until others will be equally as well known, and their inroads on human health will be combated in an snail's pace and diphtheria now. He urged physicians to become expansionists in their professions, and its salutary consequences. He said, "It is now coming more and more to the medical profession and health authorities than any other disease. In many parts of the country more than 50 per cent of the deaths are due to this malady. In Los Angeles statistics show that one-sixth of the deaths are due to this scourge, a large proportion of which belong to other parts of the country. It has been found in many parts of the country, that a large per cent of the cases in children are suffering with tuberculosis. These should be killed, and the State should bear a part of the loss. This course would remove a constant source of infection."

At the afternoon session a number of carefully prepared papers on medical subjects were read, and such was discussed at length, the speakers giving their fellow-members the benefit of their experiences in the use of various remedies under various conditions. "Climatology of Southern California," was the subject presented by Dr. Elmer Beach of Pasadena. Dr. H. R. Arnold of San Diego spoke of the many consumptives who come here so late that there is no hope for them. He urged the society to take some action which would discourage them, possible, saying that a person who was not able to travel should not at all be allowed to come here, and that to reach California is necessary.

In the evening the resident members of the society gave a dinner to the visiting delegates at the Westminister Hotel. The annual election of officers followed: The following were chosen: President, Dr. E. C. Murray, Los Angeles; first vice-president, Dr. W. H. Stiles, San Bernardino; second vice-president, Dr. Hannah M. Brown, Los Angeles; secretary and treasurer, Dr. S. S. Salisbury, Los Angeles; board of censors, Drs. A. S. Dolan, J. C. Kirkpatrick, W. E. Waddell, C. B. Dixon and Robert A. Campbell; board of directors, Drs. J. C. Kirkpatrick, A. S. Dolan, W. E. Waddell, C. B. Dixon, A. R. Campbell.

CAN'T GET THE PARK.

Dog-owners Looking for Grounds for Coursing Purposes.

The attempt which some of the owners of greyhounds in this city propose to make to revive coursing is not to be made at Agricultural Park, for the reason that those who control that park have refused to permit coursing there again. This unexpected refusal has not caused the abandonment of the plan to have two days of the so-called sport on the 22d and 23d inst. The place where the rabbits are to be chased has not been ascertained, but those behind the scheme have informed the owners of the dogs to be entered that the announcement will be made Thursday evening, when the drawing for the races will be held. This drawing will be done in the Orpheum Hall, on Main street, where the recent meeting of the dog men was held, at which it was decided to have the races. If no place can be secured which is enclosed in a rabbit-proof fence, the races will be run in some draw in the open. The 100 rabbits for the races have been ordered and paid for, an assessment for that purpose having been levied upon the owners of dogs who desire to participate in the game.

Filled the Vacancy.

Second Lieut. W. A. Wing of Co. F, Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., has been elected first lieutenant of that company, to fill the vacancy created by the departure of Lieut. Louis Chappell, who holds a second lieutenant's commission in the Thirty-fifth Infantry, U.S.V., with which command he recently sailed for Manila. Quarter-master-Sergeant Westcott has been elected to succeed Lieut. Wing as second lieutenant of Co. F.



## City Briefs.

To regular readers of The Times is offered a beautiful and valuable book containing a collection of one hundred of the best cartoons selected from those which have appeared in The Times during the last two years. The conditions upon which this handsome book will be given free are that subscribers pay for the Daily and Sunday Times one year in advance. The book is a valuable and ornamental addition to any family library.

The Good Samaritan. Remember the needy. Save your cast-off clothing, beds, bedding or stoves for poor families of the city. The book is also made for shoes and clothing for poor children. Drop a card to Fred Wright, at the "Good Samaritan" (formerly Capt. Frazier's place), No. 135 East Seventh street, and anything you have to donate will be called for.

The Times business office is open all night, and liners, death notices, etc., will be received up to 1:30 a.m. Small display announcements will be accepted in up to that hour, but large display ads. cannot be attractively set if brought in later than 3:30 p.m. Telephone Main 25.

Henry J. Kramer will form a dancing class for adult beginners Monday, Oct. 16, 7:30; adult advance class, Wednesday, Oct. 25; juvenile beginners, Saturday, Oct. 21, 1:30; advance class, 3:30; terms 20 lessons, \$10; 10 lessons \$5. References, 922 S. Grand ave. Tel. blue 5311.

Landlords threatened with damage suits—Every landlord will be sued for damages in case the roof leaks for not fixing it with \$100.00. See about it at once, and save the trouble. Pioneer Roll Paper Co., 205 and 207 North Los Angeles street.

All persons interested in the subject of interior school decoration are cordially invited by the Ebbl Club, No. 724 South Broadway, to inspect the display of school pictures by the Elliott Art Store, on Thursday, from 4 to 6 and 8 to 9 p.m.

The Los Angeles School of Dramatic Art, G. A. Dobson, principal, 1225 South Spring street. Classes open October 12. Send for prospectus.

Physical culture, education and English classes, 922 S. Grand ave. Classes open October 16 and 17. Angela L. Anderson, Director.

The Times job office has removed temporarily, while new building is being erected, to basement of The Times Building.

All kinds plain machine composition at 30 cents per thousand words, standard measure, at The Times job office. Furs remodeled, D. Bonoff, 247 S. Bly.

The fire department responded to a false alarm at 5:50 o'clock last night from the corner of Main and Commercial streets.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mrs. May K. Flint, D. E. Juvinall, J. H. Underhill, T. C. Copeland, Mrs. C. E. Wood.

The Harper-street school Sloyd department will open for the organization of classes next Thursday. The delay has been caused by the non-arrival of the necessary paraphernalia from the East.

Special Agent Reno, of the Colorado Southern Railroad Company, and Officer Frank Harris, left yesterday for Trinidad, Colorado, where they are charged with rifling the safe of the railway company at Trinidad.

Hugo Forrest, Whittier State School, Whittier, writes to The Times that a carrier pigeon came to that place some time ago, and is still being cared for. On one of the bird's legs is a band marked "G. B. 19." Mr. Forrest is seeking the owner of the pigeon.

George Mayer, owner of a cyclery at the junction of Main street and Broadway, found a bicycle yesterday in the basement of the old Leland hotel foundation. He is under the impression that it is a stolen wheel, and that it was taken there by the thief.

Frank L. Anderson was arraigned before Justice Austin yesterday on the charge of obtaining \$10 from Louis Tag, by means of a bogus check. His trial was set for the 18th inst.

Anderson is now serving a six months' sentence in the City Jail for passing a bogus check on John J. Shay.

The case of the United States against J. H. Ormandy and Charles A. Raymond, charged with counterfeiting, which was to have come up yesterday before Judge J. H. H. in the District Court, was continued until the 25th inst. The defendants were arrested last June, near San Luis Obispo.

**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.** At the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday a communication was read from Charles E. Richards, asking the use of the assembly hall next Saturday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the storage-water problem. The use of the hall was granted. George H. Maxwell will open the discussion.

The president was requested to send a telegram to the President urging him to appoint a man from this Coast to fill the vacancy on the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The Chamber of Commerce is just in receipt of information from the California Paris Exposition Commission, stating that all goods intended for the exposition will have to be forwarded by the 14th, as shipments East would be made by the 17th.

Donations made to the exhibit yesterday are: Samples of water pipe, Asphalt Paper Pipe Company; city apples, peaches and pears from ranches at Long Beach, J. A. Park, C. McCurdy, L. A. Valentine, R. R. Kingcade and R. H. Martin.

Prof. Watti has placed in the chamber a relief map showing the oil district of the Puente hills.

**Receiving Hospital Notes.** Fremont Behne, recently from San Francisco, went to the Police Station yesterday afternoon and requested to be locked up, saying that he was apt to do himself violence unless restrained. The man appeared to be suffering from the effects of liquor. He was sent into the Receiving Hospital, where he was treated and put to bed. Behne is said to be a brother-in-law of Gen. Barrett.

James Carlisle, a plumber, suffered an accident yesterday by which the ligaments of his left leg were torn at the ankle. Police Surgeon Hagan attended him.

L. R. Crawford, a stereotyper on the Evening Express, was attended for a cut on the index finger of his left hand.

**A CHANGE OF FIRM.** The Model Cloak and Suit Company Purchases the Entire Stock of "The Popular."

The old-established Popular Cloak and Suit Co., 217 South Spring street, have sold their entire stock to a new firm of many years' experience, and who are possessed of large capital. The first step determined upon was to sell the present stock at greatly reduced prices prior to starting regular business with the largest stock and latest styles in wraps, suits, skirts, waists, etc. In order to effect a quick sale, the present stock will be sacrificed regardless of cost. The sale is now in progress at the old store, 217 South Spring street.

WATCHES cleaned, \$5; mainsprings, \$6; crystals, 10c. Patton, No. 214 S. Broadway.

## SUITS PILING UP.

## ANOTHER EFFORT TO DEFEAT THE WATER-BOND ISSUE.

Amos S. Kimball Asks for an Injunction Against the City Council. Alleges That the Ballots Used at the Water-bond Election Were Illegal in Form.

Another suit was brought yesterday in the United States District Court to annul the effort of the city to gain control of the Los Angeles City Water Company's plant. The plaintiff is Amos S. Kimball and the action is directed against the Mayor of the city, members of the City Council, City Tax Collector and City Treasurer. The complaint asks for a decree of court enjoining the defendants from issuing bonds to purchase the water plant and from levying a special tax to pay interest on the proposed bond issue.

The plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of considerable real estate in the city, valued according to the assessment roll; at over \$30,000, and that the city taxes upon this property amount to \$441.42, of which sum \$60.26 has been levied as a special tax to provide for a sinking fund and to pay interest on the proposed bond issue.

The ostensible purpose of the suit is to secure relief from paying this special tax. It is alleged in the complaint that the bond election held last August was irregular and invalid because the voters' ballots did not conform to the special form prescribed by law. The complaint states that the city charter requires ballots to be printed in such form as to carry an explanation of the proposition to be voted upon followed by the words "yes" and "no," and that the voter shall stamp a cross opposite one of these words to designate whether he approves or disapproves the proposition. It is said that the water bond election ballots did not conform to this requirement, but contained simply the words "for the issuing of waterworks bonds," and "against the issuing of waterworks bonds."

Another allegation is made that only two of the arbitrators agreed upon the value of the water plant fixed in the "pretending award," and that the alleged that a part of the proceeds of the proposed bond issue are intended to be used for the construction of a headworks and other improvements upon the Pomeroy and Hooker tract, which the city does not own. This is the property which the city brought suit to condemn, and which was condemned by the Superior Court of this county. The case has since been appealed to the Supreme Court. Several other allegations involving technical points are made in the complaint.

**Wednesday Morning Club.** "King Lear" occupied the attention of the Wednesday Morning Club members yesterday morning, when the regular Shakespeare section held its first meeting of the East Los Angeles Congregational Church.

Mrs. C. P. Dorland, president of the section, conducted the study of act one of "King Lear," and the members of the club gave their ideas concerning the characters of his two sons, Edmund and Edgar. Other leading characters in the play were mentioned. The music section of the Wednesday Morning Club is now fully organized, with Mrs. Charles Clark as president. Meetings will be held every Tuesday at 10 a.m.

**Irrigation Problems.** George H. Maxwell, executive chairman of the National Irrigation Association, will discuss irrigation at a meeting to be held in the Chamber of Commerce at 2 p.m. next Saturday. Business men and all interested in the subject are invited to attend.

**Marriage Licenses.** The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Thomas H. Betterton, aged 30, a native of California, and a resident of San Francisco, and Estelle Cook, aged 24, a native of California and a resident of Azusa.

Henry C. Botsch, aged 23, a native of New York, and Minnie O. Lehr, aged 18, a native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

Frederick C. Paulin, aged 33, a native of Canada, and May Norsworthy, aged 45, a native of Canada; both residents of Los Angeles.

**DEATH RECORD.** REED—In this city, October 11, 1899, Charles H. Reed, son of George and Sarah E. Reed, a native of California, aged 19 years. Funeral from residence, No. 1660 Trinity street, Thursday, October 12, 1899, at 2 o'clock p.m. Friends invited. Interment Rosevale.

JACKSON—In this city, October 11, after a lingering illness, Rev. Benjamin O. Junkin, formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa., in the 74th year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 1121 West Twenty-first street, Friday, October 13, at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Rosevale. (Pittsburgh, Pa., papers please copy.)

HOWELL—In this city, October 10, 1899, Caleb F. Howell, a native of Ohio, aged 61 years. Funeral from residence of Mr. & Mrs. Hines, No. 647 South Broadway, Thursday, October 12, 1899, at 2 o'clock a.m. Friends invited. Interment Rosevale.

Members of East Los Angeles Lodge, No. 230, A.O.U.W., are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, J. M. Deeter, at Masonic Temple, Hill street near Fifth, on Thursday, October 12, at 2 p.m. All A.O.U.W. members invited to attend.

H. H. WHITE, Recorder.

DEETER—In this city, Tuesday, October 10, 1899, J. M. Deeter, aged 50 years. The funeral will be held from the Masonic Temple, Hill street, Thursday, October 12, 1899, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment at Rosevale Cemetery. Friends invited. (Fort Wayne, Ind., and Pittsburgh, Pa., papers please copy.)

Pentagon Lodge, No. 252, F. & A. M., will hold an evening service, Thursday, October 12, at 8 o'clock p.m., to attend the funeral of brother Jacob Marion Deeter. Members of sister lodges cordially invited.

By order of the W. W. M. W. W. ROBINSON, Secretary.

**ROYAL ARCANUM.** Members attention: You are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, J. M. Deeter, at Masonic Temple, Hill street, Thursday, October 12, 1899, at 2 o'clock p.m. W. M. BARBER, Regent. D. W. MALOON, Secretary.

**KNIGHT TEMPLAR FUNERAL.** ARMY OF LOS ANGELES COMMANDERY, No. 3, K. T. Sir Knights: You are requested and expected to appear at our assembly, in full Templar uniform, Thursday morning at 9:30 sharp, October 12, to attend, as a commandery, the funeral of the late Sir Charles F. Howell, of the No. 4 Commandery, No. 4, Deming, N. M.

By order of the Commander, W. B. SCARBOROUGH, Recorder.

**STITCH & DEERING, FUNERAL PARLORS.** Nos. 906-908 South Broadway. Lady attendant. Best service. Eastern prices. Tel. main 665.

**A NEW FIRM.** Has Purchased the Popular Cloak and Suit Company's Business.

The Popular Cloak and Suit Co., 217 South Spring street, have sold their entire stock to a new firm, to be known as "The Model Cloak and Suit Co."

The stock has been purchased at about one-half its value, and the new firm has decided to close out all the present stock before opening its winter stock. This is a splendid opportunity to obtain garments at greatly reduced prices.

**CARD OF THANKS.** Mr. Louis Deer and family and Mr. August Hartack desire to express their sincere thanks to their many friends, including the singing section of the Turn Verein Germania, who so kindly assisted in their late bereavement.

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## YERXA.

Having made arrangements to go into the wholesale, our retail business and all fixtures for sale. Parties looking for a fine business opening will do well to see us before the 15th of this month.

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When a salesman says to you some other shoe is "as good as the Ebell," you may rest assured there is a doubt in his mind, or he would say "better than the Ebell." If he should make this latter claim, he is mistaken in judgment, because he claims the impossible. \$3.50 That is, at

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Women who bought these shoes for summer wear are coming back for the winter styles. What better proof of quality is wanted?

The new lasts are all that artistic taste can desire. The making is superior. The leathers are of the finest standard qualities, and include every popular kind in black or tan. \$3.50

## Golf Hat Tournament.

We are ready for the tournament. So, ready with ample stocks and lower prices, that competitors will be lost to view before the game is fairly begun. We will make a record—a record that will be long remembered as a money-saving opportunity. We are fully prepared to sell all sorts and styles of golf hats for one-half and one-quarter less than any other millinery store can possibly quote. There are no half-way methods known here. We strike from the shoulder with a blow that will demolish high prices, and will meet with a kindly reception by every portemonnaie in Los Angeles.

The swellest of the swell and the prettiest of the pretty. We show every style that can possibly find favor among good dressers.

Those fine satin lined golf hats in Dunlap, Knox and Youmans blocks, usually \$4.00, are selling here at \$3.00. Those bright finished felt golf hats with silk bands and eagle quills, sold everywhere at \$3.50, marked now at \$2.00. The silectan felt, our leader, with a beautiful silk band and long eagle quill, all colors; our price has been low on them at \$2.00; now it is \$1.50. The Boecoele, that side dent crown shape, one of the best golf hats made by the best house in the world; \$1.50. The "Olympic" hats, made of golf cloth in pretty, large plaids, with stitched brim; have been 75c; the price now is 60c.

The Broadway, made of the best silectan felt, with silk band and leather sweat; a good hat for \$1.25; priced here at 75c. The "Colonia," the Roosevelt fur felt golf hat, in all good colors, with bengaline silk band; the \$2.00 kind; on sale at \$2.12. Those braided Tam o'Shanter crown hats, trimmed with velvet bows and quills, are on special sale at \$2.19.

## Four Surprising Silk Items.

Surprising because of their newness and prettiness and because of their downright cheapness. Not the cheapness bordering on trashiness, but that which is based on dependable qualities. Read and ponder, and buy if so minded.

500 yards of black taffeta silk; rich, lustrous shade and all pure silk in a special soft finish that will wear well; something unusual for 65c. Black satin duchesse, all pure silk back and face; a lustrous black with soft cashmere finish that will not retain the dust; 21 inches wide and better than the \$1.00 grades of other stores; our price is 85c. Black silk peau de sole made by the best maker of peau de sole in the world; all pure silk with a handsome luster; either side can be used; 21 inches wide and a regular \$1.25 quality; on sale here at \$1.00. A grand assortment of silks in all the new and desirable fall shades; silk poplins, silk satin duchesses, crystal silk, solid color, corded, saffron and satin duchesse, corded silks with polka dot stripes. 25c.

## Underpriced Trimming Novelties.

Our assortment is bristling with the newest and best things that have been shown this season in the Fashion Centers of America and Europe. Nothing is lacking, neither is price—lowness the exception; it is the rule.

An elegant line of black silk gimp trimmings from 2 to 4 inches wide, with or without chiffon; in leaf designs and large scroll effects; 38 different patterns to choose from; usually priced at \$1.25 a yard; our price is \$1.25. Silk gimp trimmings in over 75 different patterns including all the latest designs, serpentine effects, rose patterns, etc.; up to 2 1/2 inches wide; excellent values at \$1.00 a yard; our price is 85c. Black silk gimp trimmings in half a hundred patterns no two alike; from 1 to 1 1/2 inches wide; you have never seen better at 50c a yard; on sale at 25c.

## Hosiery Bargain

One of the most unusual offerings ever made by this Great Store. For women there are real mace yarn stockings with double soles and toes and high spliced heels; for girls, fine French ribbed stockings with double knees and feet; for boys, heavy corduroy bicycle hose with triple knees and feet; every pair fast black and of a quality sold everywhere at 25c while they last at 3 for 50c.

## Women's Suit Sale \$10.00.

Women's gray homespun and covert cloth, men-tailored suits; silk serge lined, double breasted jackets, habit back skirts lined with percaline. These suits would sell in nine out of ten stores for \$15.00. We will sell fifty of them at \$10.00.

## Fancy Ribbons

A swell new line of fancy ribbons in hand-some checked and striped patterns of the newest fall colorings; nicely finished for dress or neck use; our regular 25c grade; on sale at 19c.

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I was wearing a torturous truss when I chanced to hear of some of the marvelous cures by Prof. Joseph Fandrey, European Specialist in Rupture Curing, 642 South Main Street. I went to him and took his treatment. Without guarantee, without operation, without the torture of injection, without being detained from business I am today cured and am without a truss.

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PROF. FANDREY, 642 S. Main Street.

## Friday Morning's Times

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